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Words . . . Michael Hamlyn reports on the first day of the Commonwealth summit conference in Delhi.

... and pictures Profile of John Piper, artist, as he approaches his eightieth birthday.

### Benn seeks by-election nomination

Mr Wedgwood Benn will be a candidate for the Labour Party nomination in the Chesterfield by-election, it was confirmed

yesterday. Supporters of Mr Benn in the local party had contacted him on Monday night after reports in the local evening newspaper had suggested that he might not seek the nomination. He told them that he would accept a

### Grenada leader

Sir Paul Scoon, Governor-General of Grenada, told his closest advisers that Mr Alistair McIntyre has finally accepted third over the past 20 years the job of head of Government | will now remain more or less and will arrive on the island on stable as a proportion of the

Sniper fire, page 5

### Denktas snub

VIP facilities at Heathrow airport were denied to Mr Rauf Denktas, leader of the breakaway Turkish Cypriot state, when he arrived from New

EEC diplomacy, page 6 Mortgage blow

The Abbey National, which has broken with the building society cartel, decided against cutting its mortgage rate from 11.25 per Page 17

Falklands victim The family of a soldier killed in

the Falklands has been told that he was a victim of British shellfire, not Argentine action

### Lynch stays

Monte Lynch, the Surrey batsman, has ignored the advice of his county and is staying with the rebel West Indian tourists in South Africa, thus putting his cricket future at risk Page 22



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Obituary, page 12 Professor Brenda Ryman, Mrs Naomi Thomas



# Ministers criticize absent Thatcher over spending cuts

 Cabinet Ministers complained last night that they were kept in ignorance of the consequences of their recent decisions to cut public spending. And, as the Prime Minister arrived in India to meet other Commonwealth leaders, two Cabinet members made speeches heavily critical of her views and attitudes.

Mr Norman Fowler, Secretary of State

in housing assistance and rate rebates had been approved by ministers without the benefit of

background briefing or detailed

Secretary of State for Social

Services, last night shot down

one of the key arguments used by Mrs Margaret Thatcher and the Chancellor of the Exchequer for long-term spending cuts – the prospective increase in the

He said in a speech in Brent

north London: The numbers of people over 65 - who will have risen by more than one-

But Mrs Thatcher last cited

the potential "burden" of

population changes, in arguing for long-term spending reap-

praisal, when she commented on July 28, in an ITN interview:

By the time people like me are

old age pensioners, there are

going to be more than there are

The Prime Minister, who is

58, said: "You always have to

look at the burden of your social

services on the working popu-

lation because everything comes

Mr Nigel Lawson, the Chan-

cellor, said in a London

Weekend Television interview

on Weekend World last Sunday that there was "constant press-

ure from the ageing popu-

He added: "There are fundamental trends in the economy and in society which, if we are

not careful, are going to lead to

a resurgence of public expendi-

his challenge to Mrs Thatcher and Mr Lawson further than the

facts alone; arguing that social

Commons clash

on Exchange

exemption Bill

A political argument erupted

yesterday as the Government

moved to halt a court action against the Stock Exchange by

exempting its rules from the Restrictive Practices Act. Mr

Peter Shore, Opposition spokes-

man for trade and industry, said

that such a flagrant ministerial intervention during a judicial

Mr Norman Tebbit, Secretary

of State for Trade and Industry,

presented the Stock Exchange Exemption Bill for its second

Parliament, page 4

process was unprecedented.

But Mr Fowler last night took

ture in the years ahead".

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from them'

pensioner population.

Cabinet discussion.

for Social Services, challenged the belief of Mrs Margaret Thatcher and of Mr Nigel Lawson, Chancellor, that public spending would have to be curbed because of a longterm increase in the number of pensioners. Mr Peter Walker, Secretary of State for Energy, in a wider-ranging speech, generally disparaged the Government's values and achievements.

Cabinet ministers have Cabinet ministers have complained that they were left in complete ignorance of the political consequences of some of the decisions taken at the November 10 Downing Street meeting on public expenditure

Those calculations, supplied last night that that strategy could-well backfire against the Prime Minister and the Cabinet; once ministers and backboy the Department of Health bench MPs became aware, through the press, of the impact of decisions on the electorate. It was revealed last night, for example, that Mr Norman Fowler's £230m package of cuts

that a single pensioner on an occupational and retirement pension of £4,000 (£76.92 a week) with a rent of £18 a week and rates of £5 a week, will lose £4.52 benefit from April, a reduction of nearly 6 per cent on gross income.

Ministers have since been It is understood that one startled to learn that a married minister protested at the time of man with a gross income of £135 a week, including child last week's meeting that de-£135 a week, including child cisions were being made on the benefit, with orbid at school basis of prior agreements and another child of 17 living at between the Treasury and home will leave and another child of 17 living at between the Treasury and home, will lose rent rebate of spending departments. Minis-£6.23 a week and rate rebate of ters in other departments were £1.88 from next April, a net loss being presented with bald, of more than £8 a week, on a global totals, which had little rent of £25 a week, with £8 a meaning.

The point was being made

"rational appraisal, and that the debate should be "responsible,

Although some of his re-marks could have been aimed at

his Opposition critics, they were

He said, for example: "I am

not prepared to be deterred by

Mr Fowler: call for

a "rational" appraisal

on Mrs Thatcher and Mr

Lawson when he said: "The fundamental case for open

the cost of resolving them. And

"A view being put with increasing frequency is that the

emerging cost of the elderly is

going to place 'unbearable strains' on the population at

work. Is that a fair summary?

run one way.

Mr Fowler then directly took

realistic and open".

Fowler challenges

argument for cuts

By Anthony Bevins, Political Correspondent

Mr Norman Fowler, the policy needed to be subjected to

By Anthony Bevins, Political Correspondent Those calculations, supplied last night that that strategy

> It was said, as an example, that if a man on average industrial earnings can lose £8 per week from next April, then a lot of Conservative voters might well be caught in the net. At the very least, it was added, ministers should have been made aware of that fact so that they could take it into the balance of judgement. Mr Fowler said in a statement last Thursday that the changes in housing benefit "will be concentrated generally on relatively better-off households and on those with non-dependents in work who will in future be

### The West's failures Walker

expected to make a higher

contribution towards housing

By Julian Haviland Political Editor

Mr Peter Walker, Secretary of State for Energy, used the occasion of a lecture in memory of President John F Kennedy last night to indicate short-comings in the present British and American governments.

ambiguous enough to appear as a source-veiled rebuke against both the Treasury and Downing Speaking at the Oxford Union he lamented "the failure of governments over the last 20 years to address the fundamenthe tactic of the 'leak' and the tal issues of our generation".

It was profoundly depressing. he said, that the problems confronted by the world had hardly changed in the 2D years since Kennedy's death, which ushered in an era of drift and hopelessness that had inten-sified as the years passed.

Mr Walker attained higher office under Mr Edward Heath than he has held in Mrs Margaret Thatcher's Cabinet, in which he has seen himself as a icenced dissenter.

The dissent; more often implied than expressed, has ranged over most areas of social and economic policy in a series of speeches at measured inter-

In his Oxford speech Mr Walker praised President Ken-nedy and his murdered younger brother Robert for political ambitions and values which, he debate is, of course, that it provides the opportunity for agreement on the problems and repeatedly implied, were lacking in Mrs Thatcher and President Reagan. let us be clear: facts do not all

condemned today's He governments for failing to meet the challenges of the arms race poor nations, the environment and the inner cities.

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### Greek ship in Gulf hit by Iraqi 'Exocet'

A Greek merchant vessel sank in the Gulf after an Iraqi Stravelakis Shipping Company, missile attack. All nineteen crew of Piraeus, the crew was safe in Lankans and two Indians - Athens today.

Lloyd's Shipping Intelligence Service reported that the Antigoni was struck by an Exocet on Monday while leaving the Iranian port of Bushire. The Greek Ministry of Merchant the missile was an Exocet. The crew abandoned ship in

Finance and Industry, page 17 | sank.

eleven Greeks, six Sri Bushire and would be flown to

that several other merchan ships, but no Iranian nava vessels, were hir. . The ship was carrying a cargo

of steel. The Greek ministry Marine would not confirm that said that she was travelling in convoy at the time of the attack. Earlier this month, another a lifeboat. Later, there was a Greek vessel, the Avra, was also second explosion and the ship hit by an Iraqi rocket in the

# No peace for Greenham fauna

By a Staff Reporter

The Greenham Common seace women may not have been the only ones disturbed by work associated with the arrival of the cruise missiles

As with many areas of land owned by the Ministry of Defence, the Berkshire base is important for the flora and fauna for which is provides a home. There is some concern that the clearance of scrub on the south side of the base, which was necessary to improve security arrangements, may have disturbed the habitat of the Purple Emperor butterfly, which had been recorded on

the base during the two previous summers. This was one of the points which emerged yesterday when

Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of State for Defence, ed an exhibition to mark the 10th anniversary of the ministry's work to conserve nature on more than 500,000 acres which it owns or leases. brochure produced to

mark the anniversary notes that the scrub clearances at Greenham do not appear to have affected the nightingales since six were heard singing on

It also records that it is hoped to maintain adequate environment for the Purple Emperors and that the new tungel-like shelters which accommodate the missiles will be covered over with heath plants rather than grass which will encourage the flora and fanna. Although concern has been

logical sites on Salisbury Plain caused by the army's training activities, nature seems to be quite resilient.

On the tank training ranges at Bovington in Dorset, the deep trenches created by the tanks have been colonized by the rare Deptford warbler, and at the firing ranges near Lulworth Cove wild cabbages have sprung up in the holes created by tank shells, and this is thought to be the only site in southern England where the wild cabbage is found.

The prize for andacity, however, goes to a pair of stone curlews which regularly nest at RAF Lakenheath, Suffolk, within 25 metres of the main runway from which the aircraft constantly operate.



# Print union leader hints at nationwide stoppage

By David Felton, Labour Correspondent

The first major confrontation between a union and the legislation, coupled with the prospect of a shutdown of the printing industry throughout the country, moved closer yesterday after leaders of the National Graphical Association (NGA) decided unanimously not to pay a £50,000 fine imposed in the High Court for

unlawful secondary picketing. Union leaders will go before the TUC General Council today to explain their defiance of the law and to call for financial, industrial, and moral support" from the trade unions if the court moves to sequestrate its funds and assets which amount

to more than £10m. retary of the NGA, said after his Park Royal. union's 40-strong national council had decided not to pay the fine, that escalation of the dispute if there was seques-tration of union funds, "would page of the printing industry is a fine on the union's behalf.

possibility".

NGA fathers of chapels (shop stewards) from Fleet Street and under the employment legislation and is likely to be a tomorrow to decide whether to involve national newspapers in the dispute which started with the dismissal of six printing workers at a Stockport weekly

Stockport dispute, where the TUC conference at Wembley union has been engaged in mass last year, to giving financia picketing contrary to the 1980 Employment Act, are expected of the legislation. to be reconvened under the Previously, in the same

anspices of the Advisory Con-ciliation and Arbitration Service either tomorrow or Friday. Mr Wade said last night that the union's legal advice was that their secondary action they would have to pay the

Mr Robert Maxwell last night appeared to have circum-vented his rebel printers in Landon by transferring work on the Redio Times and The Listener to a plant at Exeter. He is thought to have secured the co-operation of the NGA and Sogat '32 whose members have occupied his British Printing and Communicatins plant at

£50,000 fine before the end of the week, or face being held in contempt of court. He denied that the union was aware of the not necessarily be confined to existence of an anonymous Fleet Street. A complete stop-benefactor prepared to pay the benefactor prepared to pay the

source of deep controversy within the TUC whose official policy is not to encourage movement appears to be

last year, to giving financial support to unions who fall foul

Stockport dispute, members of the National Union of Journalists decided at the last minute not to defy an injuction halting

Announcing the national council's decision, Mr Wade said that it was "in line with the NGA's policy of non-com-pliance with the Government's Employment Act legislation, determined by its 1982 biennial delegate meeting."

He continued: "We have been thrust into the front line of the fight against the Tebbit legislation. We hope the decision of the national council will inspire other unions on the TUC general council to give us maximize the fight against the Tebbit legislation.

"We hope that this will be the catalyst to encourage support from the whole of the trade union movement."

That national council, and full time officials of the union, had been warned by their lawyers that they could ultimately face imprisonment for unions or their members to continued defiance of the court break the law. The union decision, but Mr Wade said: My view is that nobody will be ewspaper group. committed, however, under the looking to create anom.

Talks aimed at settling the terms of a decision by a special Pentonville Five or NGA 45." committed, however, under the looking to create another

### SAS are added to border patrol

From Richard Ford Belfast

Extra troops were drafted into the border area of Northern Ireland yesterday as Mr James Prior rejected security demands from the Official Unionists, including selective internment against the political leaders of Provisional Sign

Undercover police and the SAS were also deployed along the border to protect isolated communities and particularly seven churches as security forces fear the murders at the Pentecostal Hall near Darkley, co Armagh, may mark a new development in terrorist tactics.

The increased security is also aimed at halting the movement of terrorists, wea-pons and explosives across the border, particularly in the

As Mr Prior met a delegation from the Official Unionist Party to discuss security, the leaders of Ireland's four main churches visited the homes of the three Mountain Lodge Pentecostal

Assembly two days ago.

The Official Unionists also demanded more permanent checkpoints along the border and restrictions on access to the media by organizations like Provisional Sinn Fein, the

Provisional Sinn Fein, the political wing of the Provisional IRA.

Mr Prior told the delegation that two companies, about 250 men, were being sent from the Army's existing 9,500 troops in the Province to reinforce border areas. All Army leave has also been cancelled. been cancelled.

During the two hours of talks the possibility of the 28 Official Unionist members reversing their decision to withdraw from the Assembly was not dis-

In the Assembly, the party was criticized by the Rev Iau Paisley, leader of the Demo-cratic Unionist Party, who said that if Storment closed, it would never reopen.

His party, who with the Alliance Party will attempt to keep it operating, condemned the Official Unionists for doing the Provisional IRA's work.

Leading politicians in the ce bave their lives may now be at risk, but security forces are opposed to saturating the border area with troops. They believe that is what the terrorists want as it would alienate the Roman Catholic population.

Security forces know that it is impossible to protect every church in the south Armagia area because they are very isolated and only yards from

Hundreds of mourners, including many who were in the Parkiev hall during the attack, attended the funeral yesterday of Mr Victor Cunningham, aged 39, one of the murdered church elders.

# Uproar at Brandt, victory for Kohl

From Michael Binyon, Bonn

The historic Bundestag debate on Nato missiles ended last have a destabilizing effect in night after two days of sharp west Germany. Both Washing-exchanges with the West Gerton and Bonn would thereby solid majority but almost all the duction in people's general Social Democrats opposing the approval of the Western imminent deployment of the alliance. He called instead for a Pershing missiles.

demonstrations and confrontations between 3,000 anti-nuclear protesters and police on the Bundestag was notably less tense yesterday. Only about 300 people gathered at the barricades set up around Parliament, and the police presence was scaled down, by late afternoon about 700 peopl

had been detained.

Inside the Bundestag, however, there were angry scenes when the Greens protested at the arrest of 15 parliamentary helpers. Detained for wearing scarves with anti-Pershing slogans on them in the banned zone around Parliament. The Greens demanded a postponement of the debate and a number walked out when this

Uproar also drowned some of the speech of Herr Willy Brandt, the Social Democratic Party Chairman, after he had called the Christian Democratic Union secretary "The Govern-ment's hired slanderers", because of his earlier description of the SPD as Moscow's fifth

Herr Brandt, the principal

pposition speaker yesterday, usisted that his party's opposition to deployment was not directed against friendship with the United States nor the Western Alliance, "But we will not be cornered by Reagan," he said, and he acccused the President of having an Idee fixe in seeing the deployment of Pershing missiles as more important than the removal of the Soviet SS20s.

He said deployment would ershing missiles.

In contrast to the noisy East and West, a continuation of détente and an effective, defensive strategy that prevented war. Earlier Herr Manfred Worn-

repeated Bonn's determination to go ahead with deployment. He said Chancellor Kohl's Government had done what a German government alone could not do to protect German interests. Moscow could not be allowed to have a nuclear monopoly of more than 250 missiles aimed at Western

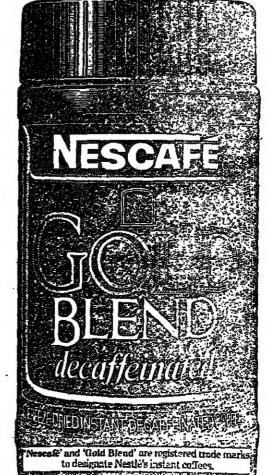
Herr Wörner gave a warning that the protests against deploy-ment might lead the United States in the long run to turn away from Europe. And he emphasized, to loud applause porters, that the American allies and their soldiers were welcome in the Federal Republic. Otto Graf Lambsdorff, the

Economics Minister who was also a member of the previous Schmidt government, sharply attacked. Herr Hans-Jochen Vogel, the SPD parliamentary leader, for his volte-face in deployment, saying that he had been one of the keenest advocates of the Nato decision in the previous government. Dr Kohl has already said that

the Pershings may start to arrive in American bases in southern Germany from today onwards. Sources here, however, were suggesting yest transported in sections.

Nuclear debate, page 16 Leading article, page 11

# There's only one decaffeinated coffee that tastes as good as Gold Blend.



witness A, also alleged that detectives allowed him to keep firearms offences and member-the proceeds from armed ship of the INLA. robberies - as well as paying him £25 a week.

The allegations were made as the informer, who has implibecause of the obvious concated 18 people on 75 terrorist clusion the court would have charges, was being cross-examdrawn from his answer. Defence ined by defence lawyers at Belfast Crown Court.

At first the man refused to identify the people the Special wanted information

Several times after he was asked to say what names detectives had put to him he replied: "I don't wish to." But Lord Justice Gibson said he could write down the names, he said: "OK I'll tell the ttruth -

activity in return for information on suspects.

The Irish National Liberation

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behest of the police."

The defence counsel was not named for security reasons.

The hearing was adjourned

# NCB shelves plan to impose pay offer

shelved plans to impose the six per cent pay offer on miners after coalfield reports showing that members of the National Union of Mineworkers are working harder in order to make up money they are losing through the national overtime ban now in its fourth week.

Mr Ian MacGregor, the chairman of the National Coal Board, and other senior board officials are said to be relaxed about the impact of the overtime ban. They have also put on ice plans to ballot all 190,000 miners over the

The board yesterday met the

Spending

inquiry

by police

Chief Constable of Derbyshire on luxury fittings in his office at

treasurer, who was told to carry

may cost

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A terrorist "supergrass" said vesterday that Special Branch of the 18 defendants. On the informer's evidence he is criminal controllers ignored his criminal of the controllers in the c Steenson is also charged with

Later witness A agreed with the defence that he had been reluctant to answer the question counsel said: "I would suggest that the reason is obvious; that you did not want to say it because you realized that the conclusion the court would or could draw was that you in fact were setting Steenson up at the

The man replied: would be right",

Coal board leaders have the twice-yearly discussion the level plans to impose the six meetings on the state of the recent pay offer on miners industry. It became clear after the two-hour meeting that union hopes of winning agreement from the board for a joint approach to the Government for further assistance to the industry are likely to be dashed.

Mr Arthur Scargill, the NUM President, indicated after the meeting that the union wanted action from the Government on a wide range of issues, including writing off the NCB's huge loan debt, controls on coal imports and extra grants to the industry along the lines of European

### crowding on Inter-City trains was the huge success of the Persil cheap travel offer, Shake-up of British tourist boards

The British government has network of British tourist boards in an attempt to boost efficiency and promote Britain's image abroard, it was announced yesterday.

police headquarters is to be A leading travel industry executive, Mr Duncan Bluck, chairman of Cathay Pacific fully investigated by the county treasurer, it was decided at a special meeting yesterday.

Derbyshire County Council Airways, is to take over as head of the British Tourist Authority, policy and finance committees Mr Norman Lamont, the unanimously agreed to request Minister of State for Industry with responsibility for tourism Parrish, to cooperate with the told the House of Commons.

The authority has been told to hand over its remaining

out an audit investigation to be submitted at a later date to the United Kingdom to the national boards of England, Wales and Scotland "so it may The fittings were alleged to include a folding partition costing more than £3,000, a desk at over £1,000 and two concentrate on its prime re-

sponsibility of promoting Bri-

Rail cuts

too deep,

watchdog

By Michael Baily Transport Editor

at a London press conference.

achieve the necessary savings and costs would have to be

reduced by reducing services.

"BR want to get more efficient, and we and the

Government want them to be more efficient," Mrs Munro said. "But they are going down that road very fast, and there

are enormous dangers."
But British Rail last night

said there were no plans for

drastic reductions in the new

One reason for recent over

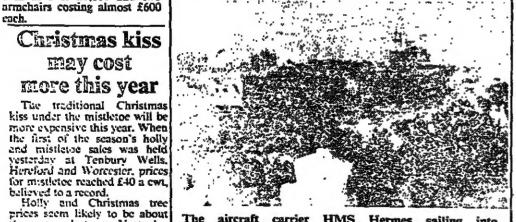
timetable next May.

mittee said

Mr Bluck, who is 57, and a member of the Hongkong Tourist Board, will also take over as chairman of the English board when its current head Mr Michael Montague leaves the

"The Government believes the rationalization of BTA and English Tourist Board activities chairman", Mr Lamont said.

"Mr Bluck will examine the possibilities for further collaboration and the possibility of a merger of the two bodies." He would take over the BTA next April from its retiring chief, Sir Henry Marking.



The aircraft carrier HMS Hermes sailing into Portsmouth yesterday after what was probably her last active service.

### Striking Land Registry unions meeting today

Union representatives are to meet today to decide their next move in the dispute over cost saving measures at the Land Registry which is causing delays for house buyers over searches. So far, just over 500 staff are on strike at the Land Registry's 13 regional offices, most of them at Gloucester, which has meant that in certain cases scarches have taken two weeks instead of 48 hours. The remainder of the 7,000 civil servants involved in the work are operating normally.

A spokesman for the Society
of Civil and Public Servants

said last night that neither side wanted to escalate the dispute.

Chess moves

Several misprints occurred in the score of the first game of the Kasparov-Korchnoi encounter yes-terday. 5 P-Q3 should have read 5 P-QR3; 20 Q-Q4 should have been 20 Q-Q4 ch. 34 PxP should have been PxR, and Black's 52nd move

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The Queen Mother during her visit yesterday to the Royal College of Music, of which she is patron and president (Photograph: Harry Kerr).

# Tories will not be rushed into union reforms, minister says

Mr Tom King, Secretary of State for Employment, made clear last night that the Government would not be rushed into further legislation on trade unions and in particular would withstand pressure from business landow for the contract of the cont from business leaders for the introduction of binding proced-

Speaking at the annual dinner in London of the Institute of Directors, which has been influential in the formation of governmental tudes toward the unions, Mr King said: "Before putting legislative measures before formation of government atti-

Mr King's reluctance to rush through a fourth stage of trade convinced that they would be both workable and effective." union legislation, hot on the heels of the Bill now going The institute has been pressing him to take early through Parliament on secret ballots, will disappoint busi-ness leaders who have consistaction to outlaw strikes in essential public services and Mr King said he was considering the introduction of proently argued that the Governcedure agreements, breach of which by mions would deprive them of immunity from civil action under the law. ment must not be seen to be going "soft" on the unions.

That disappointment was evident in the speech by Mr Walter Goldsmith, director general of the Institute of He went on: "I do not propose to repeat the experience of the 1971 Industrial Directors, that British business expected the Government to tackle the question of banting strikes in essential services "without undue delay". Relations Act when employers and unions simply decided that no legally enforceable agree-ments would be negotiated."

# Cruise missiles 'all came on one flight'

By Rodney Cowton, Defence Correspondent

uled to become operational in
Britain by the end of the year
are believed to have arrived in
one delivery on November 14.

When Mr Michael Heseltine,
Secretary of State for Defence,
oritical affairs, the assembly adopted six prop-

Secretary of State for Defence, ositions and a preamble which told the Commons on that day that the first missiles had session of nuclear weapons, arrived at Greenham Common described their manufacture as Air Base, he refused to say how an offence against God; called for an East-West nuclear freeze,

Wednesday, which was published on Monday, he is John Habgood, said that some reported as being asked "You propositions were inconsistent now have 16?", and replying with one another.

all arrived two days earlier, O Higher levels of conven-unitateralism, urging the end of tional armed force would be a nuclear role in 1967 in the acceptable to church opinion in interests of non-proliferation, Britain if that was the price of and four years earlier adopting a phasing out nuclear weapons, "no first-use" position. the British Council of Churches decided at its assembly yester- on member churches, however,

The 16 cruise missiles sched-day (Our Religious Affairs

were against Britain's pos-However, in an interview and proposed that British and with the French newspaper Le French nuclear weapons should Matin at about midday last be included in the Geneva talks.

The British Council of In fact, it is thought that they Churches was one of the first church bodies to advocate

Its decision are not binding

### A Rembrandt is 'lost'

By Geraldine Norman, Sale Room Correspondent Christie's has mislaid a mann and

Rembrands drawing accepted for the nation by the Treasury in lieu of tax and allocated to Manchester City Art Gallery.

The gallery had hoped to mated it at £20,000 to £30,000, had been seen as the same was valued at £13,000.

The drawing was valued at £13,000.

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The drawing was offered at auction in March, 1982, but failed to sell. Christie's estimated it at £20,000 to £30,000, display Moses and the Burning Bush when Lord Gowrie, Minister for the Arts, visits it tomorrow – but Christie's cannot find the drawing.

The work came from the estate of Miss Asphodel Fleisch-

but it was bought in at £13,000. Its acceptance and allocation were announced on July 8, The gallery tried to collect it a week later and last week.

Christie's would not com-

### Setback for Labour over police Bill By Peter Evans Home Affairs Correspondent

Labour efforts to curb Government proposals for increased police powers met a setback yesterday. Attempts to limit stop and search proposals in the Police and Criminal Evidence Bill were fought off in the House of Commons committee stage.
The debate concerned one of

the most important clauses in the Bill, Mr Douglas Hurd, Minister of State at the Home Office, said. The argument was over the

Government's intention to exand Wales police powers to stop and search, on reasonable suspicion, for stolen goods, and prohibited" articles.
Labour argued that the police

would, as a result, have too sweeping powers. The safeguard of "reasonable suspicion" was not sufficient and, with the wider range of articles for which officers could stop and search, would bring them into in-creased conflict with the public. Labour MPs said that a distinction should be drawn between an article which was in itself an offensive weapon and

one which was not. But Mr Hurd said that just as much damage could be done by articles adapted or intended for use as weapons as those weapons which were offensive

What constituted reasonable suspicion, Mr Hurd said, must depend on the circumstances of

# Elephant leaps from £300 to £15,120

By Geraldine Norman, Sale Room Correspondent

£50,000) was sold to Yanagi.

Christie's sale of English and

continental glass made a total of

A very cracked and glued, but richly decorative Japanese porcelain figure of an elephant that was purchased last summer in the South of England for less than £300 sold at Christie's vesterday for £15,120. It is a Kanbun-Enpo period (1661- kanbun-Enpo p than £300 sold at Christie's vestenday for £15,120. It is a Kakiemon model probably dating from the Tenwa-Genroku period (1681-1703) and was bought on this occasion by Imaizumi, a Japanese dealer.
It is seared with its head and trunk raised in the air and richly

decorated in red, blue, green and yellow enamels. It appears to have cracked in the firing and interestingly has gold lacquer repairs which appear to date from the Genroku period.

£79,436 with 14 per cent unsold. It contained a generous Christie's marning sale of canter with the royal arms of Chinese works of art made a George III and Queen Charlotte

£45,360 (estimate £40,000 to £91,555 and 8 per cent unsold. £60,000) and a Christian folding A 1902 first edition of Beatrix lectern of around 1600 decorated in black and gold lacquer with mother-of-pearl inlay at £32,400 (estimate £30,000 to Potter's classic The Tailor of Gloucester sold for £1,012 (estimate £300 to £400).

The earliest printed paper cut-out marionette sheet ever seen by Sotheby's expert se-cured £286 (estimate £125 to £175). The sheet contains the arms, body and legs from which jeroboam-sized engraved de to make up a smart early canter with the royal arms of eighteenth century youth with a

# Consultants 'rigging waiting lists to win more cash'

deliberately keeping patients waiting for treatment in order to win a higger share of National Health Service cash

geon said last night.
Their waiting lists are rigged artificially high as a lever to obtain more resources, and also to gain more private practice, according to Mr Reginald Elson, a consultant orthopaedic surgeon at the Northern Gen-eral Hospital in Sheffield.

He was speaking in an interview on "Calendar", which was acceened last night and was screened ast light and which was concerned with the state of the NHS.

He said it was a dreadful indictment that many patients

who should be receiving NHS treatment were instead having to reach for their last penny, almost, in order to be seen privately." Mr Elson claimed that because the length of waiting lists was such a crucial yardstick in determining where Health Service cash should be spent, they were rigged at an artificially high level.

"The worst criticism I have

The worst criticism I have heard of the waiting lists is that

Hopes rise

in social

work clash

By a Staff Reporter.

Hopes of an end to industrial action by 25,000 residential social workers, now in its eleventh week, rose last night after both sides agreed to continue talks with the Advis-

Acas issued a statement last

night saying that "exploratory talks" held yesterday would

continue on Friday.

The talks are being held separately with Mr Keith

connet, local government office

for Nalgo, and Mr David

Thomas, deputy secretary of the employers' body, the Local Authorities' Conditions of Scr-

Yesterday's talks were the

first move towards negotiation

in the dispute, which has led to 1,200 residential workers going

on all-out strike in 176 homes,

and others maintaining an overtime and admissions ban

which has closed many more

the dispute may never reopen.

"We have had to put more and more kids into voluntary

and private homes, and we are

not going to get into shuffling them about. We have got places where there are 40 staff and three kids. Nalgo are cutting

vice Advisory Board.

neoples homes.

Some hospital consultants are consultants use them to gain private practice", he said. But aiting for treatment in order while some consultants did that, the more general reason was to

is one of the most potent weapons in the competition for obtaining more resources. I

think it is very wrong if you allow your waiting list to become unmanageable.

Mr Elson's claims were discounted by the British Medical Association last night. A spokesman said: "We would be dismayed to think that consultants try to get higger cash allocations for their departments at the expense of the genuine needs of their patients, and me account his patients. and we cannot believe that this

We would like to see what facts there are to back this up. If the allegations were true we would be very concerned. It is also a gross slight to suggest that consultants seek to increase their private practice in this

waiting lists in the private sector can be as long, if not longer, than in the National Health Service."

Warning to

nurses over

pay body

By Our Health Services

The review body set up to recommend pay for Britain's 500,000 nurses, midwives and some other health workers may continue talks with the Advis-ory Conciliation and Arbi-tration Service (Acas).

But the main union involved, the National Association of Local Government Officers, will go ahead with its national bellot on stepping up the dispute and bringing further closures of children's and old be able only to produce an interim report by next April, Sir John Greenborough, chair-man of the review body said

critical of the government delay in setting up the review body.

of British Industry and former chairman of Shell UK, has been in office and working since September, the govern-ment has still to announce the body. Sir John said yesterday that

he hoped the remaining names would be announced "very would be announced very shortly". But he gave a warning that the review body would be starting with "a blank sheet of paper", that the issues were extremely important and com-plex, and that it would be

Nalgo is also planning a national day of action on "We may suddenly find that the space of four months we December 7, the day after its ballot result, when staff are expected to lobby the em-ployers' and union's National Joint Council executive meetmuch more than I would initially expect", he said. But he did not want to raise

expectations.
Issues such as differentials Social service leaders have for nurses alone were complete said that many homes closed by enough, but the review body also had to look at the pay of Mr Kenneth Boyce, joint secretary of the London Direc-tors of Social Services Associhealth visitors, midwives and seven professions complementary medicine such as phsiothe ation, said he did not believe that "any authority already committed to privatization"

rapists.
It might be that the reveiw body would have to produce an interim report dealing with basic pay and a report later in the year on differentials and

will reopen homes.

Mr Peter Westland, social services spokesman for the Association of Metropolitan Authorities, said children "have been moved around like parcels other more complex issues Narses' organizations are accusing the Government of deliberately delaying the start of the review body's work to into private and voluntary Mr Richard Stewart, leader of Strathclyde regional council, says there is "no doubt" that

let he review body's work to keep next year's pay rise lew.

Mr Trevor Clay, general secretary of the Royal College of Nursing, said: "Whatever the reasons for the delay in announcing the members, of the review body, it will moderately be seen by many homes are going to close indoubtedly be seen by many unrses as a deliberate filibustes

Correction

their own throats, because those Mr John Hunt, the formmer head of Roedean, was not the first man to become head of a girls' secondary independent school as stated on November 15. Mr Michael Neal was made head of Cranborne Chase School in 1969. places are going to have to shut down".

The dispute is already costing Strathclyde £70,000 a week for 1,000 temporary staff taken on

### The West's failures Continued from page 1

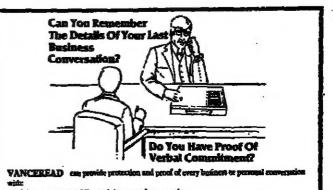
By an implied comparison with the Kennedys he also criticized his colleagues in

to keep homes open.

government for being preoccupied with economic manage-

In Opposition to modern Conservatism's emphasis on self-help and on laisser-faire ment.

The Kennedys recognized, he said, that growth was not a beliefs. "He felt passionately monetary target. "The gross that in the midst of plenty, national product measured poverty is an evil. That neither wit nor courage, wisdom government belongs wherever not learning, compassion nor evil needs an adversary and devotion to country. It mea-sured everything except every-help themselves."



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# Ripper police develop computer system to handle big inquiries

A computer system to handle large investigations has been developed by West Yorkshire

The Major Incidents Computer Application, (MICA) is partly a response to inadequacies in the Yorkshire Ripper inquiry, which was overwhelmed by hundreds of thousands of paper records.

Officers without previous omputing experience are able to enter or retrieve information

from the system. For example, if a detective wants to know whether a white Cortina owned by a man with a Welsh accent, grey hair and tattoos was in the Red Lion car park on a series of dates, he enters the question on the keyboard in a simple inquiry language called "English", the answer is displayed on the

Microdata, its Hemel Hempstead-based manufacturer, unveiled the system in London yesterday Mr Jerry Causley, its

'Character'

certificate

for pupils By David Walker Social Policy Correspondent

The Government is consider-

ing giving all school leavers a

certificate describing their character, behaviour and sport-

ing achievements as well as

Sir Keith Joseph, Secretary of

State for Education, said yester-

day that a draft statement will

be made next week giving details of the new certificates.

which have been pioneered by several Labour-controlled auth-

He said: "They will be particularly encouraging for those who at the moment leave

school with almost no academic

achievement to their credit,

They would help employers find out about the character of

school-leavers as well as their

Det Chief Insp Robert Warner, head of Lincolnshire fraud and drug squad, has been

summoned to appear in court in

connexion with the police campaign in Nottingham

appear before Nottingham Magistrates' Court on Decem-

ber 20. He has entered a denial **Kenny Everett** 

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**Police interview** 

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used in the unsolved investigation into last month's murder of Collette Aram, aged 16.

In West Yorkshire, MICA is Officers. The Home Office is being tested alongside the assessing MICA and has not conventional manual methods. The police say that they are
"satisfied with assistance it
provides", but will not reveal American-owned Microdala, managing director, said: "Mica details of its use of future plans, with one to 12 is at least two years ahead of any comparable system cur-

rently under development in the UK."

West Yorkshire police have worked with Microdata and lsis, a software company based in Bristol, to develop MICA over the past year.

It has been used in seven murder inquiries, in West Yorkshire and on a trial basis by three West Midlands forces, Leicestershire, Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire.

Derbyshire borrowed a prototype in the summer to help in the hunt for the killer of Diana Towers, aged 16, of Glossop,

A man has been charged with her murder. Nottinghamshire is evaluating MICA which was used in the unsolved investicomplies with all standards for big investigations laid down by the Home Office and the Association of Chief Police

> with one to 128 terminals. I searches stored text a 100,000

# Paratrooper killed by British shelling

A paratrooper whose parents tought he had been killed by at Argentines died under tritish shellfire on the last day the Ealklands conflict. thought he had been killed by the Argentines died under British shellfire on the last day of the Falklands conflict.

The Ministry of Defence was forced some weeks ago to tell the family of Private David Parr, aged 24, the truth because of the publication of a book on the role of the 2 Battalion, The Parachute Regiment, by one of its most distinguished former commanders, Major-General

Major-General Frost, who led



Private Parr: Died on last day

As a retired officer he said that he was under no obligation to show his manuscript to the Army, although he had intended to allow commanders of 2 Para to see it, but they had been

on service in Belize.
In 2 Para Falklands, the general says that Private Parr, of Oulton Broad, near Lowestoft, narrowly escaped death when a bullet lodged in his navel, But was killed instantly by British shellfire during the

assault on Wireless Ridge.

The book, also angered the ministry by revealing the name of the medical sergeant who as an act of mercy shot a mortally

wounded Argentine.
He also disclosed that Major Chris Keeble, who led the attack on Goose Green after Colonel 'H' Jones, VC, was killed, had drawn a pistol to persuade a Royal Marine to ferry paratroopers to another part of the

2 Para Falklands (Buchan an Enright, £7.95).

# Nottinghamshire police confirmed yesterday that Mr Warner had been summoned to appear before Nottingham Waldorf

By Stewart Tendler

Scotland Yard has yet to respond to the compensation Kenny Everett has been claim made by Mr Steven admonished by the controller of Waldorf, the freelance film Radio 2, Mr Bryan Marriott, for editor shot by mistake by remarks about the Prime officers in a police operation Minister on his programme on last January.

Saturday.

Mr Everett ended with the comment: When Britain was an empire, we were ruled by an put to the Yard but no decision had been taken. Hopkins kingdom, we were ruled by a refused to say how much Mr

Waldorf was claiming

Last month two detectives wete acquitted by a jury at the after ruling that evidence on other fires for which Lee was charges involving the shooting of Mr Waldorf. Det. Constables John Jardine and Peter Finch are still suspended from duty who went last week to see Mr while a report on possible fires.

Robert Chatwin, the Midlands disciplinary proceedings is jeweller who is awaiting trial in completed.

The Mr I

jeweller who is awaiting trial in Spain on fraud charges, said yesterday in Denia, near Alicante, that he had given them Deputy Assistant Commissioner and head of the investigation buwhom they are interested. They complaints investigation buindicated that on their return later this week they will be considering possible action Mr Waldorf but was not

### Freshly-cut cheese is shoppers' favourite

years, British shoppers are showing a preference for fresh cheeses cut at the counter rather than in prepacks, according to Dairy Crest, the manufacturing forced many supermarkets to and marketing subsidiary of the instal butchers' and fish-Milk Marketing Board.

The change is being com-pared with the rejection of passeurised keg beer in favour of traditional draught brews under the influence of the Campaign for Real Ale.

But although there is a body

By John Young, Agriculture Correspondent For the first time in many calling itself the Campaign for Real Cheese, a closer analogy is with the growing demand for fresh meat and fish, and for freshly baked bread, which has

mongers' counters and to bake bread on the premises. Overall cheese consumption

# **Bruce Lee** fails

in appeal

By David Nicholson Lord

Lawyers representing Bruce
Lee yesterday failed in their attempt at the Court of Appeal to clear him of all of the 26 deaths for which he was convicted. Lee, aged 23, is seeking a retrial of the 11 cases of arson in wich the 26 people

died.
The court yesterday refused him the right to appeal against conviction for a house fire in December, 1979 in Selby Street. Hull, in which three children

The court made its decision convicted indicating that they were accidental, or that he had an alibi, could not be admitted

The ruling was disputed by Mr Harry Ognall, QC, rep-resenting Lee, he said it could lead to a "grave risk" of serious injustice. Lee, who is disabled and educationally subnormal, confessed to all the fires but later retracted his confe claiming that police had "bad-gered" him into them.

Lord Justice Ackner, presid ing, said that the remedy lay with the Home Secretary if Lee's case depended on inadmissible evidence. But he cited the considerable public interest into the case and said that a lengthy reserved judgment would be made on the reasons for the ruling. Mr Justice Glidewell and Mr Justice Leggatt agreed.

At Leeds crown court, in January, 1981, Lee was convicted of manslaughter on the ground of diminished responsi-bility and was sentenced to be detained without limit of time.

# Praise for police who faced gunman

Yard's Flying Squad who faced a man armed with a sawn-off shotgun were commended for their coolness by a judge at the Central Criminal Court yesterday. The incident happened only four days after Mr Stephen Waldorf was mis-takenly shot by police, but in this case the officers could have not been criticized had they opened fire, the court was told. Mr Christopher Mitchell, for the prosecution, said the incident occurred in Fulham - a few miles from the scene of the Walderf shooting - when armed Flying Squad officers

and the second s

building society raiders. One of the raiders. Emmanuel Angol, aged 19 pointed the shotgun at Det. Constable Kim Durham,

who was unarmed.
His colleague, Det. Sergeant
Ronald Turnbull, drew bis
weapon, levelled it at Angol's chest, and shouted: "Armed police - drop it or I will shoot". Angol swung in his direction, saw him take aim and immediately threw the gun down, the

court beard. Judge Peter Mason said: "I would like to commend the

Cowley Road, Stockwell, south-west London, was jailed for a total of seven years after admitting two building society robberies, conspiracy to rob and possession of a firearm.

Eamon Anderson, aged 24 of Tyler Street Greenwich, south-east London, was also jailed for a total of seven years after admitting two robberies, conspiracy to rob and possession of a firearm.

Anderson, Mr Mitchell told the court, was the brains behind a series of armed raids on building societies all over



# Sextuplet team meets again

were remitted at Liverpool
Maternity Hospital yesterday.
A total of 55 unress, doctors
and medical technicians assembled for the first time since
the six Waltun dambters the six Walton daughters were born on Friday.

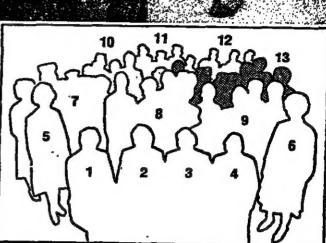
Professor John Beaziey, ged 51, consultant in obstetrics and gynaecology, had nothing but praise for his team. He said: "The teamwork was

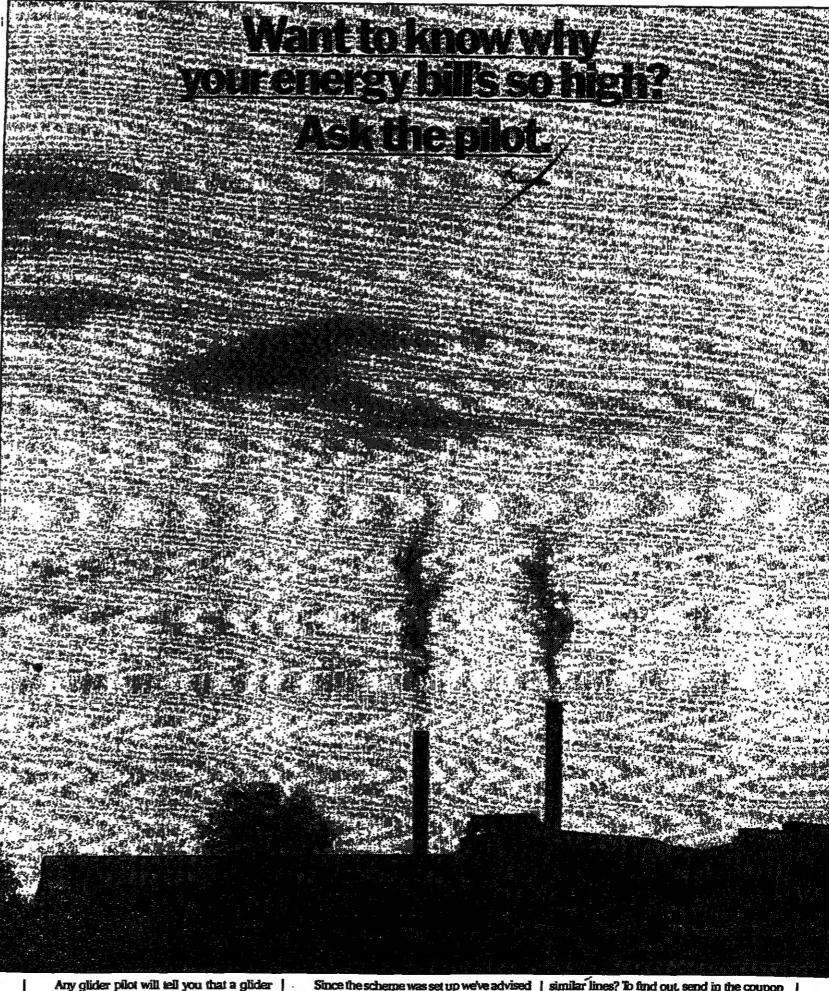
shows what National Health Service medicine is all about."

The babies' names anaounced yesterday by Mr
Walton. In order of hirth they
are: Hannah Jane (birth weight
2lb 1oz), Lacy Anne (2lb 15oz),
Ruth Michelle (2lb 11oz),
Sarah Lonise (2lb 5oz), Kate
Elizabeth (2lb 13oz), and
Jennifer Rose (3lb 9oz).

trician and gynaecologist; 4, Dr John Beddard, anaesthetist; 5. Mrs Manra Ryan, senior nursing officer; 6. Miss Jean

Farrington, senior nursing officer, 7. Delivery suite theatre staff; 8. Special care baby unit staff; 9. Theatre technicians; 10. X-ray unit staff; 11. Liverpool Royal Infirmary nurses; 12. Liverpool Women's Hospital infertility unit staff;





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# **PARLIAMENT November 22 1983**

# Tebbit denies selling out to the City

### STOCK EXCHANGE

It was not merely desirable but well nigh essential that the Restrictive Trade Practices (Stock Exchange) Bill be enacted, Mr Norman Tebbit, Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, said when he moved the second reading of the Bill in the

its reference to the Restrictive rea Practices Court in 1979 the Stock wh Exchange had become perified, not was the undertaking to dismantle in the sense of being afraid, but in rules prescribing the minimum the sense of being set in stone, scales of commission. The council the sense of being set in stone, unable to meet the challenges of a changing world.

The Bill would exempt the Stock

Exchange from the Restrictive Trade Practices Act 1976 and end Trade Practices Act 1976 and ead the court action. It was estimated the Bill would result in a saving of public expenditure on legal costs of about £500,000.

Now it was considering various options for the further steps which were needed before December 31, 1986 — the date by which it had

Going over the history, Mr Tebbit said that despite the offer of the Stock Exchange to undertake a review of its rules in which the Government and the Bank of England would have more certain control of the outcome, the then Minister of State for Prices and Minister of State for Prices and Consumer Protection (Mr John Fraser) decided in February 1979 against a request of the Stock Exchange that it should be removed from the scope of the restrictive practice legislation.

By 1979 the Stock Exchange was a need of change in order to Garage

in need of change in order to carry on its business and carry out its responsibilities to investors. In the four years since then, it had become clear that the court action had become a serious and chronic

To the satisfaction of the custodians of the vested interests of trade unions, industrial relations trade unions, industrial relations agreements between trade unions and employers were outside the scope of the Act. By and large, the learned professions were excluded. This Bill would be a statute which exempted the Stock Exchange.

The Government required

rins bill would be a statute which exempted the Stock Exchange.

The Government required necessary changes to be made as part of the bargain under which the action was to be ended and the Stock Exchange was to be exempted.

For the first time lay members would be appointed to the council of the Stock Exchange. They would account for up to 25 per cent of the council and would be appointed by that council with the approval of the Governor of the Bank of England.

At least five lay members were to join the council by the end of next month. A new membership appeals body entirely independent of the Stock Exchange members of the council was being established.

If the council objected to an application for membership, the

application for membership, the appeal body would be able to review the position and if the applicant met over-rule the council's decision. The appeals body could include lay council members but Stock Ex-change members were ineligible. On the exchange's existing appeals committee on disciplinary matters, people who were not Stock Exchange members of the council

would constitute a majority.

These changes would allow the influence of Stock Exchange users to be felt at the centre of policy-making in the exchange and would ensure refusal or admission to membership

Joseph defends grammar schools

Sir Keith Joseph, Secretary of State for Education and Science, defended

the grammar school system during questions in the Commons and told

Labour MPs they were wrong to kick away ladders from which many

of them had benefited.

He emphasized that any initiative

to change from comprehensive to grammar schools must come from

individual local education auth-

I can well imagine (he said)

circumstances in which a local education authority might consider

that selection, and grammar schools as part of it, would benefit all the children by enabling teachers to

**EDUCATION** 

nembers of the council provided there was a majority of directors who were Stock Exchange members. This provision further liberalized single non-member to own up to 29.9 per cent of the capital of limited corporate members of the

However, part of the agreement reached by the Stock Exchange which had attracted most attention

undertaken to dismantle minimum commissions completely.

In July a gradual dismantling had been envisaged. Now it might well be that all remaining scales might had been completed – the so-called "big bang approach". The effects of breaking the log jam had already been quite remarkable. The impetus for change seemed to be growing. An unprecedented debate had been searled off by the decision to ask

primarily for the Government to future of the securities industry in Britain. He did not wish for the Secretary of State to plan and regulate the market. It was a task for those more expert in the securities trade in it.
His interest was threefold: to

ensure that the Stock Exchange continued as an effective market in ship of the public: to see the investor



protected; and to foster the London market as a contribution to Britain's invisible exports.

Some of the most important and

intense debates since the Govern-ment's intentions had been an-nounced had been centred on the future of single capacity. Within and outside the Stock Exchange were many who believed that single

Mr David Heathcoat-Amory (Wells, C) had begun the exchanges by

existing grammar schools and also

Sir Keith Joseph: The grammar school has certainly played, and is still playing, a distinguished part in the development of our school

His interest was not in the ending of single capacity but in safeguards to investors and that they should be in place before any change to single capacity was made. Investors would also demand

adequate safeguards. If they did not exist on the Stock Exchange in London, they would take their custom elsewhere so the exchange was well aware of the need to be ready, whichever way the market developed.

Legal changes might lead to the establishment of more extensive retail outlets and wider share ownership but after the experience

pacity went, it should be replaced other protections and probably maximum openness or trans-ocy - if that was the current

contribution to the economy
Two Conservative MPs had
implied that he was letting loose a implied that he was letting loose a foreign invasion, but he suspected that some might wish to restrain him if he wanted to give undertakings not to allow foreign companies to buy other British assets. If they thought of going too far down that road they would begin to think of perting into an economic

ar down that road mey would begin to think of getting into an economic seige mentality.

In any case, foreign institutions brought advantage. The very names of many tirms on the Stock Exchange had an un-English ring reminding them of the benefits of open access. By adopting the strength of foreign institutions, they could enhance their own preemi-

It is not true (he said) that by

reaching agreement with the exchange the Government have sold exchange the Covernment have sold out the interests of investors or the country to the interests of the City. This short Bill removed the rules and users of the exchange from the scope of the Restrictive Trade Practices Act, but was not to shield the exchange from the need to

As recently as July there had been a fear that change would be too slow, but now the critics were afraid

it would be too swift. The purpose of the Bill was to expedite change to ensure that it was governed by the needs of the market and the continued preeminence of London, in the interests of investors and those seeking to raise finance, and above all, of the country. He could commend the Bill

better than by the words of the leader in *The Times* today; "For a Government and Party that believes in the virtues of a free market economy and in wider share ownership as a barrier to corporatism should have no doubt that the right course is the one set by Mr Parkinson on July 27."

Mr Peter Shere, chief Opposition spokesman on trade and industry, said the Bill was the result of deal between the chairman of the Stock Exchange and Mr Parkinson, former Secretary of State. Since then Mr Tebbit had arrived at the department with a recreation substantially objective.

A further change – details of which would be announced in a day or two – was that it would be investors against unfair trading tra

schools. The move to corral these children into failure schools would

entrench that problem even more

deeply.

The way forward is to develop a system which gives all children a

Sir Keith Joseph: The task of an almost total spectrum of ability in a

single class requires very great skills on the part of the teacher. It is just

conceivable the pupils to which she refers might benefit from teaching which had to stretch across a slightly

### Payroll vote had right to know about Bill COMMONS

react to those terrible practices when they were undertaken, not by industrial or white-collar trade unionists, but by gentlemen in pin-

Parkinson: Huge sums

would have been spent

for a new job; a new policy for a new department. The hawk of employ-ment had become the dove of trade

This was an exercise of min terial power for which he could find no precedent. There was no record of a measure to frestrate judicial procedure once it had commenced and it was, on that account alone, a scandal. It undermined what standing the Office of Fair Trading still bad, devalued the court, and the

The withdrawal from the ourview The withdrawal from the purview of the court and the Act was total and immediate under this Bill, and further references were to be debarred, But why did the Secretary of State undertake this extraordinary U-turn? Wicked journalist had offered explantions. One was the Government's thurning majority of June 9 and the new arrogance of ministers who felt that large majorites emboldened them to make this volte face.

Another was that the then

Another was that the then Secretary of State, also Tory Party chairman, had a special empathy and rapport with the City and Stock Exchange not unconnected with their continued and and total support for the Tory Party. A third was that the old Tory Party habit of settling difficult matters over port at Brooks's had reemerged. These matters had been echoed in the editorial in *The Times* today.

editorial in The Times today.

It had said the agreement with the Stock Exchange chairman would smell in some nostrils as Tory tribute to the City of London's massive financial support for Mrs Thatcher's election campaign.

Contrary to what the minister had

said, anybody facing a long and protracted action of this kind was not frozen or immobile. In fact, it was encouraged by the very process of reference to the court to make adjustments in its practices.

Mr Cecil Parkinson (Hertsmere, C); the former Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, said it was no experience of the unique matters involved should listen to arguments by representatives of a profession which themselves had an en-trenched single capacity system, arguing the case against single

have been spent and a massive amount of time consumed and the uncertainty over the future of the Stock Exchange would have been

That change would produce and Mr Biffen: Any move to introduce promote fundamental further contentious legislation, even though experience of the New York Stock Exchange, where sudden changes had led small firms into bankruptcy,

# Bill to curb

It was necessary to try to remove the It was necessary to my to remove the Conservative Party from its eastern European habits and make it recognize that it should carry out its functions in a proper democratic way, Mr David Winnick (Walsall North Leb) and when given leave North, Lab) said when given leave in the Commons to bring in the Electoral Finance (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill.

### spending on elections

He said the Bill would establish limits on the total national expenditure by political parties during a general election campaign. It would also give shareholders of public companies the right, which trade unionists had, to contract out of political donations.

# Moves to make Britain more attractive

concentrate on stretching each particular band separately.

The holder of my office has to decide on the merits of any particular proposal taking into account the effect on all concerned.

Ms Clare Short (Birmingham, Ladywood, Lab): The major problem in secondary schools is that the bottom 40 per cent of 16-year-olds feel tike failures in these schools. The move to corral these

saying grammar schools were a valuable bridge between the private and public sectors of education.

Would the Secretary of State, be asked, do all he can to protect scription returned schools and public sectors of education.

### TOURISM

The English Tourist Board calculated that there could be an extra 250,000 jobs in tourism up to 1990. Mr Norman Lemont, Minister of State, Trade and Industry, said after making a statement to the Commons on tourism.

He announced that the British Tourist Authority is to concentrate

He announced that the British Tourist Authority is to concentrate on promoting Britain overseas and that rationalization of the authority and the English Tourist Board is to be carried through by appointing a single chairman for the two. He is to be Mr Duncan Bluck, at present chairman of Cathay Pacific Airways and of the Hongkong Tourier and of the Hongkong Tourist

The statement arose from a review started by Mr Iain Sproat, former Under Secretary of State for

Mr Lamont said that tourism was one of Britain's most important industries, with a turnover of some £8,500m, almost matching the car industry and employed about one million people. The Government recognized its great economic and employment potential and was determined to encourage its devel-

The review had produced many proposals for improving tourism generally in the United Kingdom, including improving hotel stan-dards, new training initiatives, proposals for computerized reservations systems, signposting policy, revitalizing traditional resorts and dealing with London's tourism

He would invite other Gover-ment departments to consider further action on tourism issues which were their responsibility.

The Government's main instrument for encouraging tourism is the statutory tourist boards (he said). In recognition of the widely accepted view that the boards need to improve their own conditions, the

I am therefore inviting the British Tourist Authority to transfer wherever possible its remaining United Kingdom activities to the national boards, so that it may national boards, so that it may concentrate on its prime responsibility: to promote Britain overseas. I am asking the BTA and the ETB to seek shared accomodation, to merge certain common services, and in consultation with the Scottish Tourist Board and the Wales Tourist Board are eliminate.

Scottish Tourist Board and the Wales Tourist Board, to eliminate duplication in their publication programmes. The review has shown that a revised apporach is also needed to planning the BTA's overseas promotions so that full account is taken of the requirements of England, Scotland and Wales in the main marketing concernment.

of England, Scotland and Wales in the main marketing programme. Sir Henry Marking, the present BTA chairman, has agreed to leave his post at the end of March 1984, some five months before the end of his appointment, to permit a new chairman to begin carrying through these changes at the BTA as soon as

I place great importance on attracting private finance to tourism. The English Tourist Board has been instrumental in setting up a new equity fund for tourism, financed by the private sector but with access to advice from the boards. Full details will be announced at a later date.

Mr Bryan Gould (Dagenham, Lab)

Mr Bryan Gould (Dagenham, Lab). an Opposition spokesman on trade and industry: There is little point in spending directly on tourism and at the same time cutting back public spending on services crucially important to tourism like railways, roads, and other communications.

It was vitally important to spread tourist effort throughout the tourist effort throughout the country, not just in London. Mr Lamoun said that many tourists who came to Britain came to London and many who went elsewhere came to London first.

Mr John Spence (Rydale, C): One section of the review deals with Northumbria.

Signposting. As part of my Mr Lamont: So many of the tourists to this country come to London. If we are concerned that any we under-sell London we under-sell advertising on trunk roads or country roads should be tastefully and artistically done. I have been able to get no sense whatever about Government departments responsible for planning decisions.

Mr Lamont: The question of signposting for tourist facilities is a long standing matter grievance and controversy. There is going to be an French motorways are helpful without being offensive.

Mr Lamont: There are many



have been cut

experiment in signposting of tourist attractions in two local authority areas - Kent and Nottingham. Mr Stanley Crowther (Rotherham, Lab): Would it not be sensible to drop this silly idea of building a new London surport at Stansted and devote these resources to develop-ing regional airports?

Mr Lamont: I will consider what he Mr Robert Brown (Newcastle upon Tyne North, Lab): Why does be insist on putting such a weight on encouraging tourism to London? The capital city generates its own enthusiasm. It would be much

Mr Lamont: There are many different interests in this long-running argument. At least we have got this experiment going. It is not intended to be the end of the matter. I will take up what he said about repairs to historic buildings with the Mr John Butterfill (Bouramouth

West, C): There is great concern at the current taxation of proprietors of holiday flatlets. Mr Lamont I am aware of this

point. It is under review and discussion with the Treasury. Many representations have been received from the tourist industry about it. Mr David Penhaligon (Truro, L); Can he give an assurance that money allocated to each board will be closely related to the size of the tourist industry in the area it seeks

to serve? Mr Lamont: That is a very logical statement and we shall seek to follow it.

### New peers

Lord Fanshawe of Richmon formerty Sir Anthony Royle Conservative MP for Richmone upon Thames, Richmond, and Lord Caradchael of Kelvingrave, formerly Mr Neil Carmichael, Labour MP for Glasgow, Kelvingrove, were intro-duced in the House of Lords.

It was normal procedure for members of the Government to be informed of the contents of Bills to be discussed on a Friday on which the ministers responsible had expressed the Government's opposition, Mr John Biffen, Leader of the Commons, said when the issue was raised by Mr Robert Wareing, (Liverpool, West Derby, Lab), whose Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons (Ammendment)

Government business was disrupted last Friday morning, how many ministers cancelled or curtailed पष्टुकारं टाव्रुबब्दाटाएँड?

Is he aware of a briefing note, which I have in my possession and which I understand was circulated to Conservative members telling



either case he should resign.
(Conservative protests.)
The Speaker (Mr Bernard
Weatherill): I think he would wish to rephrase that comment.

Mr Wareing: In what way have I offended the House. Perhaps I could suggest Mr Biffen had misled Mr Biffen: Events on Friday excited

a great deal of concern and emotion.

That is understandable. It is not the first time matters like that have been debated and the Government have subsequently been accused of employing a payroll vote.

I stand by what I said on
Thursday, I am sure the House
would think it extraordinary if

members of the Government were not advised of the contents of a long standing practice.

Mr Cranley Onslow (Woking, C): Mr Biffen should ignore the that the eagerness of Labour MPs to turn up and vote for measures which are wasteful and anworkable Conservatives to vote against th. m.

### Review of procedure urged

Mr David Penkaligon (Truro, I.) asked during questions in the Commons if, when the Select Committee on Procedure was set up, Mr John Biffen, Leader of the House, would consider having a pre-legislative stage, like that with the special standing committees, when MPs would have an opportunity to seek advice and question tunity to seek advice and question

Mr Biffen replied: For certain kinds of legislation, we already have something approximating to what he wants. It is not me who will designate what matters might be referred to the Select Committee on procedure. It is a matter for the

Mr Timothy Smith (Beaconsfield, C) said later that now that a timetable motion on the Telecommunications Bill had been agreed for a second time, the case for a review of standing committee procedure was beyond doubt. While I accept (he said) that it is the House that decides what matters

are considered by a procedure committee, will Mr Biffen use his influence to ensure that this important matter is brought to its attention?

Mr Biffen, amid Labour shouts of "No", said: There clearly is wide feeling in the House that this is a matter which might be considered by the Select Committee on Procedure, but the House itself must decide.

### Advice sought on cutting expenditure

The debate in the Commons tomorrow (Wednesday) on pensions would be the ideal platform to discuss questions of public expenditure, Mr John Biffin, Leader of the Commons, said when answering questions for the Prime Minister who is in New Delhi for the Commonwealth Conference

Mr Kenneth Carlisle (Lincoln, C) had asked: The pressure on public expenditure is increasing and so a great burden on the taxpayer and the public cannot be borne without considerable strife. Will he undertake to initiate a

wide-ranging debate to ascertain how we can afford all the many services the public now demand? Mr Biffen: There is always strong pressure to increase public expendi-There is much public debate on this subject and we would welcome serious contributions from many quarters academic and business as

### Parliament today

Commons (2.30): Debate on Oppo-sition motion on pensioners' living standards. Lords (2.30): Debate on

### Cable TV franchise criteria criticized

The Government's rigid criteria for awarding cable tele-vision franchises and the existing cable operators have been given as the primary reasons why only 10 new networks may be licensed at the end of the month instead of the

The selection, to be made by the Home Office and the Department of Trade and Industry on the advice from the Economist Intelligence Unit, is only days away from being finalized and yet ministers are in a quandary. The Governwanted to award the franchises for multichannel cable systems (about 30 channels) to a consortium that had money, experience and new technology but also sought to encourage newcomers. The criteria are proving incompat-

have critized the Government in recent weeks for allowing Rediffusion and Visionhire to expand existing networks in more than a hundred areas around the country. The Government had assured those operators that they would be allowed to expand such systems without fear of competition until 1985. That concession, government critics believe, has unnecessarily and severely constrained the areas available for franchises.

The Home Office remains confident that the awards will

be made on time. In all, 37 applications have been submitted with competing tenders for Westminster and Central, British Telecom has applied for nine franchises in partnership with local operators The franchises to be awarded at the end of the month are a

compromise by a nervous Home Office which is fearful of falling standards in television



fiths and Jonathan Powell, both aged 16, and from Kenfig Hill, Bridgend, Mid Glamor-gan, with the auti-theft milk gan, with the auti-theft milk bottle holder they designed. It won the 16-18 age group in the Schools Design Competition and earned them a £200 prize. At the Institution of Civil

He said: "I would have

are by definition consultation

committees, and responsibility

for running the water authority

is vested in the board: but their

influence ought to be consider-

able because they are local, and

represent 12 million con-

Thames Water Authority

By contrast, the Northumb-

area. Each panel would contain

Menus at

the Palace

criticized

By Diane Guckert

ific cremes are two of the most

frequent dishes gracing Buckingham Palace buffets has

brought criticism from Mr Drew Smith, editor of *The* Good Food Guide to be

"The palace menus are

about as innovative as the English football team's attack,"

he wrote in this week's issue of

Woman magazine after study-ing royal menus of the past six

Mr Smith expressed disdain

of all that is British; roast beef

has not been served in six years

has not been served in six years and game only once in five, while pate de foie gras and lamb laced with thich sauces have delighted numerous dig-

The Queen of the Nether-

lands fared best, Mr Smith

said, although her meal, too,

was saturated with brandy and

truffles and foie gras baked in a

made Mr Smith shudder

President Reagan was served raspberries both at 10 Downing

Street and the palace,

Several of the palace's lapses

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The revelation that the

three places for householders.

Other prizewinners in the Chinn, aged 19, now of Loughborough University, Longhborough University, £270 for designing an auto-matic window lock; and Miss Jackie Garrett, aged 19, of Hyde Farm, Daubary, Essex. £250 for a wheelchair "bridge"

# Water boards plan consumer panels

the Thames Water Authority,

Plans published yesterday im to bring water users into denied yesterday that the closer contact with water measures were merely a sop to authorities. The Thames Water Authority and the Northumbrian Water thought they would have a considerable influence. They

Authority have produced the first suggestions for new consultative procedures, which were imposed on water auth-orities by the 1983 Water Act. Although differing in detail, the plans published by the two water authorities are basically similar. Local consultative committees or panels will meet several times a year, and will

represent household consumers.

another committee looking after government. sport and recreation matters. Public comment is now invited on the proposals, which must be submitted to the rian Water Authority proposes Secretary of State for the to set up three area water panels: one for Northumberland Environment by January 3 1984. If approved, the new and the Tyne area; one for the Wear area; and one for the Tees bodies could be operating by

Mr Roy Watts, chairman of

### Rugby tour defiance by Welsh

From Tim Jones

The Weish Rugby Union was still planning yesterday to defy the Government by playing host to the South African national youth team despite warnings that the tour could ead to Wales being excluded from the next Commonwealth Games.

Mr Abdul Minty, secretary of the Anti-Apartheid Movement, has flown to Delhi to raise the issue at the Commonwealth Prime Ministers conference. Opponents of the tour, which at the Queen's apparent taste for French food and avoidance

is due to start next month, claim that the multi-racial make-up of the side totally disguises the reality that sport is segregated in South Africa. Eleven MPs have tabled a motion calling on the Govern-ment to fully support the Gleneagles Agreement by in-

creasing pressure on the Rugby Union to cancel the tour. An amendment by Mr John Carlisle, Conservative MP for Luton North, asks the Govern-ment to uphold, the right of the Welsh Rugby Union to invite the side to acknowledge the "immense benefit" it will bring to the young players from both

Mr John Stradling Thomas. Minister of State for Wales has said that the Government while "seeking to dissuade" the organizers, has no power to ban the tour.

The Gleneagles Agreement signed in June, 1977, accepted that it was the duty of each Commonwealth government to combat apartheid by taking every practical step to discourage their nationals from sporting contact with South Africa.

Since then, however, four important Welsh club sides have visited the country and the Welsh Rugby Union has sanctioned recuprocal visits by touring sides. Next month's planned tour will be the third visit this year by a South

### **Bail denied** for Sue **Stephens**

for six months on Monday for handling stolen goods, was refused bail yesterday by Judge Babington at Knightsbridge Crown Court. Miss Stephens, the former girl friend of David Martin, the gumman, is to

appeal against sentence.

Miss Stepens, aged 26, from
Topsham, Exeter, handled the
proceeds of Martin's criminal activities while he was on the Her codefendants, Lester Purdy, aged 30, a film editor, from Palmers Green, north

26, an electrician, from Barnet Hertfordshire, who were jailed for nine months, had their applications for bail refused. They also denied handling stolen goods. Miss Stephens will apply for bail and leave to appeal against

sentence tomorrow at a private

London, and Peter Enter, aged

### Runaway horses trap driver

High Court hearing.

Miss Louise Griffin, aged 23,—managing director of a compoter sales company, was seriously ill in hospital in Bristol after stampeding horses trampled over her car, trapping her in it. The accident happened when six horses broke free from a field and charged at her car as she drove down a quiet country road near Bristol. Firemen took more than 20 minutes to cut her

### Computer gifts from the Oueen

The Queen will present 30. BBC microcomputers to President Zail Singh of India tomorrow to mark her state visit to his country.

The present will consist of

five networks each containing six microcomputer worksta tions. They are expected to be used in selected schools and Regiment raided:

### Regimental gifts and sou-

venirs worth almost £2,000 have been stolen from the 1st-Battalion Gloucestershire Regi-ment at Tidworth, Hampshire, where two months ago silverware worth £100,000 was stolen from the 1st Queens Own-Highlanders. Police are not connecting the thefts.

### Civic Trust warning on fake economies "Apathy and lack of concern

long term if local authorities, under financial pressures, dis-band their architects' departments and environmental teams. Mr Michael Middleton, Director of the Civic Trust, says

to cost a good deal more than

any short-term saving.

In the report on the trust's 1983 awards, he says that the maintenance and making good required on work that has not been properly conceived and executed at the outset is likely

are with us still and at the highest level" he writes. "Sadly the motivation, the drive to achieve quality, remains too Among the 17 award-winning

schemes are two in Manchester the Lower Campfield market, which was converted into the city's new Air and Space Museum, and the refurbished Barton Arcade. Another is the new Jarrow riverside park on the site of a former chemical

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### Divorce in Britain: 3

# Hailsham denies Bill favours middle-class men The Americans nave crosses their detention camp in Grenada. The use of 10 stifling wooden packing cases as isolation cells for prisoners isolation cells for prisoners isolation intermnation had

Lord Hailsham said on Monday in the Lords that the new divorce Bill had been widely misunderstood and distorted. It would not, he argued, make divorce easier. JOHN WITHEROW, in the final part of our series. looks at the controversy surrounding the Bill.

is a compromise. Dr Richard

divide equally the spoils of marriage, including pension

He believes divorced mer who pay maintenance are acting

as scapegoats in a society which refuses to treat women equally.

Nonetheless, he maintains the

Bill will accelerate moves to

equality.

working women with children

also causing concern. Critics

point out that it has move

from Lord Denning's ruling that conduct should be excluded unless it was "gross and obvious", to the Bill's "inequi-

table to disregard it". That, they

fear, could mean a return to the days before the Divorce Reform Act, 1969, with the concept of "guilty" and "innocent" parties

and the possibility that wives

could be thrown into hardship

Lord Hailsham, howeve said it is only a slight change

The church is also in

of a man and a woman".

which represents one parent

families, says the Bill is putting

the "cart before the horse". The

The group points out that the vast majority of ex-wives do not

shows that only 12 per cent of

years after senaration. Of those

Communist Party of Great Britain, the Labour Party and

disarmament, said there was no

disarnament, sant there was no military or political case for bringing cruise missiles to Britain. The West can already destroy Russia 20 times over

and cruise will not give extra deterrence. Cruise has not coupled America to Europe, it has de-coupled the Western Alliance. What is happening is

that we are seeing waves of increasing anti-American feelincreasing anti-American feel-ing in Europe.

"The real danger of cruise is

that it could lead to German isolationism followed by Ger-

newly-divorced women

for "misconduct".

care centres.

Is the reform of the divorce effective pressure group for law now before Parliament a divorced men, also feel the Bill male, middle class Bill, or in the words of Lord Hailsham of St Allan, its policy adviser, would like to see a complete end to Marylebone, the Lord Chancel-lor, "Justice! Justice! Tempered adult maintenance and a matrimonial property law that would

with mercy and compassion"? No divorce reform has ever failed to provoke controversy and the present legislation is no exception. To its supporters it is a step towards a clean break and putting an end to the "alimony drones" and "divorce bounty hunters" who have a "meal ticket" for life.

But to its opponents it is a greater women's groups say we should get equality first and then change the divorce law", he said, "but I think we should law intended to help the tiny minority of well-off men with demanding second wives who keep their ex-wives on maintenance. The churches too are change the divorce law and alarmed by the proposed reequality will follow. Society will duction of the minimum period have to meet the demands of of marriage from three years to 12 months. and then you will find the place awash with creches and day-

### Young childless women affected

The Matrimonial and Family Proceedings Bill is the first important piece of government legislation on divorce for more than a decade and is based on a Law Commission report of 1981. It challenges the concept that a husband should maintain a former wife indefinitely; places greater emphasis on conduct in marriage; proposes barring all divorces in the first year of marriage; and gives greater priority to the needs of

adding "you cannot disregard the way people are behaving, or But will the Bill, which could become law within a year, make have behaved." much difference? Some regis-trars maintain it will affect only 10 per cent of cases and that the Most ex-wives get courts will continue to dispense less than £20 ustice in paternalistic fashion, accepting that women are often at a disadvantage and need

protection. quandary. While accepting that Lord Hailsham, appearing on an anti-divorce policy is untenthe television programme able with so many marriages Credo, argued that fears about breaking down, they are divided the Bill were unfounded and over whether to make a stand or the Bill were unfounded and that it would not affect divorced women with young children. He denied claims by one-parent Bishop of Birmingham, and an all the standard take a pragmatic view. The Right Rev Hugh Montefiore, Bishop of Birmingham, and an all the standard take a pragmatic view. family groups that it would lead family groups that it would lead outspoken critic, says the 12-to a reduction in the payment of month rule will mean "the state maintenance and a greater will no longer regard marriage reliance on supplementary in principle as a lifelong union

affected, he implied, would be young childless women, and those whose children had grown up who would see a "tapering attitude of men, they say, is "if you want equality get on with period of years.

attitude of men, they say, is "if you want equality get on with it". But equality does not exist.

period of years.

The Bill is generally being welcomed by the legal establishment. Sir John Arnold, President of the Family Division at the High Court, said it was "a step in the right direction in the financial field".

But for others it does not go solely on maintenance though two out of three far enough. Some judges would like to have seen conciliation included, which would ease some payment from husbands) and that number halved 10 pressure on the courts, with couples agreeing first on unconreceiving money from ex-hus bands. 75 per cent get less than

The Campaign for Justice in Divorce, which has been an

# Remember the past, Churchill tells CND

Disarmament defeat

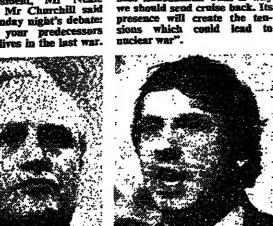
ance of peace in a nuclear age, Mr Winston Churchill, Con-servative MP for Davyhulme told students at the Oxford

He was opposing the motion "That Britain can and should temove all nuclear weapons from her shores." It was defeated by 215 votes to 195. He said: "There is no merit in disarmament if it under-mines peace, only if it buttresses peace. There is another way forward without the reckless

mble of unilateral disarma-And Mr Churchill had a particular message for the secretary of the Campaign for ignor Bruce Kent and others disarmament.

Pointing to a plaque on the wall behind the seat of the union president, Mr Neale Stevenson, Mr Churchill said turing Monday night's debate:

'Another way forward"



Winston Churchill:

# Reagan wins the war and writes the history

In the last of three articles on the US intervention in Grenada, Trevor Fishlock relates how President Reagan, convinced most Americans and some people abroad, that what he did was right.

The Americans have closed

undergoing interrogation had caused bad publicity at home, and the Americans naturally do not want the generally favourable image of their Grenadian episode to be tarnished. Reagan largely been successful, not only in his military and

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convinced most Americans, and some people abroad, that what be did was right.
Some of what the Adminis tration has said has strained credulity and there has been a

strong strain of misinformation

and disingenuousness in the

presentation of events. But it is

goals that count. The Administration winces at the word invasion. So too do quite a few people in the Caribbean, The Administration The clause in the Bill giving greater emphasis to conduct is explains, with an air of wearied patience, that it was a rescue of



The supposed peril of the disputed. The day before the invasion, the Reagan Admini stration said they were not in danger. Afterwards it said they were. The head of the medical school said there was no danger. After he had been visited Administration officials found that there was.

Had the students felt endangered they could have left. The Administration said the airport at Pearls was closed on October 24, so that students could not have got out had they wanted to. The airport, however, was open and several aircraft

The call for belp from the Organization of East Caribbean States, on October 22, three days before the invasion, was

request for help from Sir Paul Scoon, the Governor-General,

invasion. reached Barbados non-diplomatic chan-

case, ordered urgent invasion planning on October 20. And

p, the former Prime ter, from house arrest.

Minister, from house arrest.

The Administration inflated the number of Cuban military people on the island. In the end people on the island. In the end it agreed with Cuban figures. It made much of the arms and documents it discovered, to bolster its assertion that, as President Reagan said, Grenada was "a Soviet-Cuban colony being readied for as a major military bassion to export terror" and "We got there just in time" to prevent Cuban

Apart from anti-aircraft weapons, the arms were not all that impressive at first glance and, to some, seemed not much more than might be trawled from a Texas suburb. Washing-ton also invented a "mass grave" to emphasize the savgery of the regime and had to

The American press was

establishment, it is said, had noted British restrictions on reporters in the Falklands. There is a strong view among US military men that reporting of the Vietnam war led to public was appatriotic.

Of course, reporters were allowed into Grenada eventu-ally, but this was against the wishes of the military commanders. They were overridden

### **US** troops come under fire again

From Christopher Tho St George's

Five United States soldiers through a heavily wooded area in central Grenada, the American Army announced here yesterday. It was the first attack on US troops in four days and the fifth since the American invasion.

The soldiers, all technicians, vere walking along a track in the Grand Etang area when they noticed two men walking in the same direction 50 yards ahead. concealed rifle carried by one of the men and shouted a warning. With that the two men spur round and opened fire with

The US Army said the technicians fired back with pistols and the men fled. There were no injuries on either side and no indication whether the men, both of whom wore identical blue shirts, were Cubans or Grenadians.

News of the attack was announced on the day that the miliatry also reported a substan tial reduction in the mumber of combat troops in Grenada. In the last few days their numbers have been reduced from 2,300 to 1,900 and more will be moved out. All combat troops will have left by the December 23 deadline set by the White House.



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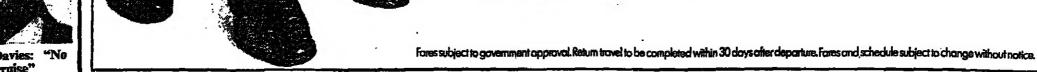
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### Crisis in Lebanon: Ultimatum to PLO chairman

# Arafat given three days to quit Tripoli

From Our Correspondent Beirut

Three days grace has been given to Mr Yassir Arafat to get out of Tripoli or face an attack in the city. This is the margin allowed him by Mr Ahmad Jibril, Palestinian rebel leaders whose fighters have driven Arafat loyalists out of the two Palestinian refugee camps north

He told reporters yesterday that there would be no compro-mise. "If he does not go from Tripoli, we will attack him in the streets," he said,

Mr Jibril heads the general command of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine, one of the most hard-line of the eight factions that make up the Palestine Liberation Organization. He and other Syrianbacked rebels want to oust Mr Arafat as leader of the Fatah faction and as head of the PLO.

According to Mr Abu Jihad, chief Arafat military adviser. the rebels were bringing in reinforcements since they declared a nominal ceasefire on Monday. An attack on Tripoli could come as early as today.

Artillery and mortar fire from

rebel positions rained on Tripoli yesterday morning, but by afternoon the barrage had stopped. Arafat loyalists fired from the north of the city toward the Baddawi refugee camp which fell to the rebels last weekend. The loyalists had been forced to abandon the Nahr el-Bared camp on November 6, four days after the rebel offensive began.

As the fighting continued, two delegations of mediators arrived in Damascus to discuss ways of ending the PLO fighting. Prince Saud al-Faisal, the

Saudi Foreign Minister met Mr Abdul Halim Khadan, his

**EEC** sticks

to Cyprus

diplomacy

From Our Own Correspondent Brussels

sanctions against either Turkey

or the "Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus" at a meeting

of EEC foreign ministers in

los, the Greek minister, chaired the meeting, which agreed that

at this stage only diplomatic

action was appropriate to try to

force the Turkish Cypriots to

end their breakaway attempt.

Mr Malcolm Rifkind, British

Minister of State at the Foreign

Officer, said "there was no enthusiasm or support for sanctions. Every state excluded

It was felt, however, that the

UDI might affect the preferen-

tial trade agreement between

The main items benefiting from

Cyprus and the Community.

The European Commission has been asked to make a study

and report to next week's

foreign council in Brussels. It

might be agreed then that only

goods leaving the sector of the island would qualify for prefer-

The commission has also

been asked to speed up establishment of a customs

union between Cyprus and the Community. This is scheduled

for 1990, but negotiations have

WASHINGTON: President

Reagan has appealed to Presi-

dent Kyprianou of Cyprus not to let the "ill-advised" UDI stand in the way of a negotiated settlement (Mobsin Ali writes).

Mr Reagan, during a meeting with President Kyprianou on Monday, said he stood four-square behind the good-offices mission of Senor Javier Perez

de Cuellar, the United Nations

Secretary-General, to re-estab-

the island. President Reagan re-

an interim step and the aim was

to continue intercommunal negotiations for a peaceful,

Chicago (AP) - A man who said he had a bomb comman-

deered a Republic Airlines DC9

and demanded to speak to the

Rev Jesse Jackson, a contender

for the US presidency. He was

Njonjo, was being groomed by named.

an unnamed foreign power to

Njonjo inquiry delayed

for two months

From Charles Harrison, Nairobi

A judicial inquiry into what foreign power said to be

has been described here as supporting him. But he was Kenya's Watergate - allegations widely believed to be referring that the former Constitutional to Britain, and MPs in a heated

Affairs Minister, Mr Charles debate called for both to be

be Kenya's next President - was the inquiry was formally yesterday adjourned until opened late last month, and January 10.

The inquiry, by three High ings were due to resume Court judges, was ordered by yesterday - but Mr Justice President Moi after he sus- Miller, the Guyanan judge who

pended Mr Njonjo from his is heading the inquiry, proposed

ministerial post last June.

Mr Moi, who first referred to a plot last May, did not name tribunal to meet in Parliament

either the alleged traitor or the while Parliament was sitting.

has condemned.

lasting settlement.

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ential treatment.

Mr Yiannis Haralambopou-

Brussels yesterday.

Greece did not press for



The enemies: Mr Yassir Arafat (left), under threat from Mr Ahmad Jibril the rebel leader

Syrian counterpart while 'a tinue for only three days" and television purporting to prove correspondent, delegation of ministers from non-aligned nations, including India, Yugislovia, Somalia and Cuba, also arrived for talks. Lebanese leaders have ap-

pealed to Mr Arafat to leave Tripoli and spare the Northern port city of 500,000 from harm. Police say many of the residents have fled the city to avoid street clashes and shelling.

The rebels had declared a ceasefire, effective from last Monday, but fighting did not stop. Mr Jibril said yesterday that "this situation will con-

that they will then attack.

MOSCOW: A senior Arafat aide, Mr Faruk Kadumi, arrived in Moscow yesterday for talks with Soviet leaders. Tass said he was on a brief visit, but gave no further details, (Reuter

Informed Arab sources said Mr Kadumi had been invited by the Kremlin to counterbalance a visit here two weeks ago by Mr Khaddam of Syria.

• PARIS: M Charles Hernu, the Defence Minister, has shown photographs on French

camp, he insisted. M Hernu's appearance on The camp itself was virtually television on Monday night, untouched, he said. The only

had been a fiasco. Robert Fisk, The Times touched.

that French jets were wholly successful in hitting their intended targets within a Shia French originally spoke of Muslim military training camp on the outskirts of Baalbek (Diana Geddes writes).

Not a single bomb fell outside the confines of the 62-acre totally their stated targets,

The camp itself was virtually four days after the raid, was obvious physical damage was to prompted by increasingly wide-spread reports that the attack Government has insisted that no civilian positions were

### The nuclear debate today and the day after

# Oslo approves deployment by one vote

Oslo (Reuter) - The Norwegian Parliament yesterday rejected by a single vote an opposition proposal that Norway should not support the deployment of new Nato nu-clear missiles in West Europe.

The 78 to 77 vote came after a 13-hour security debate and the outcome was expected to have been close. Outside Parliament scuffles broke out during the debate between police and 200 anti-missile demonstrators.

putting the new missiles into place in Western Europe while US-Soviet arms control negotiations were continuing in Labour speakers said that

Nato and Prime Minister Kaare Willoch's centre-right coalition Government wanted to demonstrate political as well as military strength through deployment.

(Christopher Follett writes). The general strike action which took place between 11.55

am and noon, was called by the just before noon, powerful 1.3-million member Trade Union Federation on the GENEVA: The shortest eve of the first batch of Pershing meeting yet - one hour missiles arriving in West Germ-

About 80 people were detained.

The Labour, Liberal and Socialist-left parties called on Parliament to state that Normass protest against the deployroad, trains went slow, all radio

also took part.

In Copenhagen's central square, people stood motionless

between the American and Russian negotiators in the During the protest, traffic strategic arms reduction talks came to a halt, public transport buses drew into the side of the luncheon for the two juncheon for the two delegations, hosted by General Edward Rowny, the chief US representative (Alan McGregor

# Horror film that struck at the heart

professor who lives in Lawrence, Kansas, about the arms race, to be able to respond and a bit part in the nuclear holocaust film The Day After, which has become a hot political and social issue. He played a Mid-West farmer in the hopeless poisoned aftermath of the bombs. "You people in Europe are closer to the issue than we are. We haven't known the horrors of war in our own land since the Civil War. We've been remote. I hope this film brings Americans as close to the reality of things as you who have lived through bombing.

Sure, some of us have personal experience of war. And we see film of World War Two, and Lebanon, but the point of The Day After is that it's not about an event in a far off country, not something remote that we can dismiss. It happens right here in America, in a town we can all identify with. This time the horror

happens to us.
"It had a profound effect on the town. We enjoyed taking part in the move. It was exciting. But then we had a preview. We came away with a pall over us. No one said anything. We were silent." In the film Lawrence is affected by the

blast and fallout from a nuclear attack on Kansas City 38 miles away. The town is wrecked and dying survivors totter through the ruins.
The Mayor of Lawrence, businessman
Mr David Longhurst, said yesterday: "It

lish dialogue between the Greek and Turkish communities on was a sobering experience. There was our town, our cordial friendly community of 53,000 people, the streets, hospital and buildings we are all familiar with, littered with dead and hopeless survivors. This was stated his "deep distress" at the UDI, which the United States Mr Ilter Turkmen, Foreign Minister of Turkey, said here that the UDI was presented as

"You heard the people in the film saying the things we all say, that it couldn't happen, that those who govern us wouldn't be such madmen. It was chilling. I know it was not a very good film from an artistic point of view, but the impact was

"The mood today is not one of despair. People have an intense feeling of wanting to do something about the nuclear threat.

Everyone is saying 'what can we do?' "A few are saying that the film was propaganda, playing into the hands of the commies, but that's not the majority feeling. We think Russian parents most tackled and subdued by passen-gers and no bomb was found.

**CIA** director

agrees to

take lie test

Washington

The use of a polygraph is

October, 1980.

Charles Oldfather, a retired law useful purpose. We want to know more least because it took the nuclear question us. We want answers.

"I have just written to Reagan and Andropov expressing our concern about the deterioration in the relationship between our countries. They haven't even met. It's insane. I have invited them both to Lawrence, just to talk."

The film was seen by an estimated 100 million Americans on Sunday night. It was, in spite of the terrible events it depicted, a rather banal film, and scientists have been quick to point out that it maderplayed the destruction and the nature of the injuries that would be caused by nuclear blast. Certainly film of real-life events at Hiroshima is more horrific.

But the quality of the production notwithstanding The Day After has ignited an intense political and public debate.

Some commentators feel it has put President Reagan on the defensive, not

on. The President put Mr Georg Shultz, his Secretary of State, on television to counter the film, but there is a feeling that Mr Shultz was too bland The right is furious with the programme

because it says that deterrence has failed and because it provides ammunition for the peace lobby.

Meanwhile, schools and colleges acro the country are devoting time to discussion of it and the broader nuclear issue.

Newspapers yesterday reported that many youngsters expressed fear and hopeless-

The New York Times said that the film taught nothing and had little political value. "For all the pompons pretence, this was an entertainment . . . a horror show, a disaster movie. A hundred million Americans were summoned to be empathetically incinerated and left without a single



have the same feelings for their kids as we do. Most of us feel the film has served a

# Jaruzelski extends | Liberia tells amnesty and reshuffles Cabinet

Poland's Parliament (SEJM) gesture, the seim also adopted extended the amnesty for a new Hill on national defence underground Solidarity activists strenthening General Jaruat the close of a two-day session zeiski's hand to respond quickly at the close of a two-day session at which general Wojciech Jarozelski announced the reshuffling of his Government. The changes mounting concern over failures to end food shortages and provide more consumer goods.

A deputy described the

extension of the amnesty until December 31 as an "act of reconcilition," noting that 686 Solidarity supporters had reported to police to avoid procesution before the original amnesty offer expired at the end However, most of those

turning themsikves in have been on the fringes of the opposition. Solidarity's underground leaders, dismissing the amnesty as a failure, have wowed to carry on their

The amnesty extension had been supported by both the Government and the Communist front umbrella group PRON (Patriotic Movement for lational Rebirth).

While the amnesty extension

### **Budget** at risk over **UK** rebate bugged

From Ian Murray Brussels

Any attempt to pay Britain its 57m EEC budget rebate for 1983 without consent of the European Parliament will mean that the Community's entire budget will be thrown out, Mr Piet Dankert, the Parliament's president, warned finance min-Friday's issue.

isters in Brussels yesterday.

At a meeting with the council, MEP's set stiff conditions for payment of the rebate. They insisted that there way, while being a membr of ment of American nuclear silence and police, and 350,000 had to be real reforms approved the Atlantic alliance, opposed missiles in Western Europe white-collar union members at the summit in Athens next had to be real reforms approved month if there was to be any chance of releasing the British money, which the Parliament has voted to block.

"If the outcome of the summit is not good and the council still try to pay Britain the money, then they seriously risk rejection of the entire budget." Mr Dankert said after the meeting. "Parliament has to remain credible with the elections coming up. It is not an empty threat.

If the Parliament blocks the budget, as it did in 1979, it-would still be impossible to pay Britain under the rule which allows the Community to continue to operate under the previous year's figures. This was because the money had to be paid to specific projects and these are not mentioned in the Mr Dankert said the Parlia-

ment would insist on maintaining its freeze on 5 per cent of all agricultural spending and on setting aside £720m for building a Community industrial policy after 1985. "If the council touches any of these elements they are in for serious trouble."

### English faithbealer, page 10 Goncourt jurors

sible for international economic

cooperation, was dismissed and his functions assigned to Mr

From Diana Geddes

the jury for this year's Prix court, France's most important literary award, were taped by the editor of Le Meilleur, a satirical weekly and are to be published in full in M Alain Ayache, editor of the paper, which has a circulation of 650,000, said he

decided to "bug" the jury because be believed secrety often led to machinations that had nothing to do with literary excellence. He also wanted to mark the twenty-fifth anniversary of a similar exploit of his. It was just after de Gaulle had returned to power. In those days, there was none of the sophistication of the modern electronic recording devices and I had to hide in a cupboard to tape the Goncourt jury's comments. Everyone spoke of

politics rather than literary This year, for the first time in more than 10 years, the prize did not go to one of the three did not go to one of the three big publishing houses - Grasset. Send and Gallimard. Instead, the jury of 10 authors (uine of whose works are published by the big three) chose a writer published by the relatively unknown André Balland.

M Ayache said that, having listened to his tape, he consideed the jury had worked seriously" this time.

He believed the prize had been awarded to Frédérick Tristan for his novel Les Egares (The Lost Ones) to "prove" the much-questioned impartiality

### Injured N Koreans on trial for Rangoon blast The prosecutor said they

Rangoon (Reuter). - Two North Koreans accused of taking part in the Rangoon bomb blast last month that killed 21 people including four South Korean Cabinet ministers blast last month that went on trial yesterday charged with murder and illegal possession of arms Kang Chul Min, his left arm

amputated at the elbow, and Zin Mo were both handcuffed when they appeared before a court inside Rangoon's heavily guarded military headquarters.

to arrive for a wreath-laying ceremony. Zin was injured in an apparent suicide attempt when he let off a grenade and Kang killed three Burmese soldiers with a grenade before being caught in a paddy field, the prosecutor said.

**Basques stay** 

silent in

court protest

insulting King Juan Carlos refused yesterday to make any statements unless tribey werw allowed to speak in Basque.

They and 15 other Basque regional MPs, town councillors and executives of the Basque Nationalist Popular Unity

coalition, which is close to ETA

staged a protest when the King made his first visit to the Basqe

country in February, 1981.

They sang the so-called Basque Warriors Song, preyenting the King from address-

ing a solemn session in Guernica for seven minutes.

getting out of hand.

The incident helped serve as

The public prosecutor is

Judge Fernando Diaz, the

held in the Spanish capital.

were captured within three days

of the blast at Rangoon's Martyrs Mausoleum minutes before President Chun Doo

Hwan of South Korea was due

### Two shot dead as border escape fails

Helmstedt (Reuter) - Two people were reported killed and a woman injured when East German guards opened fire on a petrol tanker trying to crash across the border to West Germany. Border police quoted wit-

nesses as saying they saw two dead bodies beside the 32-tonne

tanker, stopped by the East Germans after a high speed

### Smuggling computer secrets

### Sweden bars back door to Russia aboard a Swedish ship last two weeks ago before the month from South Africa via Swedish ship carrying them

From Our Own Correspondent Stockholm (Reuter) - Sweden has banned the import of war Mr William Casey, the director of the CIA, has agreed material from South Africa after inspecting four containers. The United States said that they to take a lie detector test as part held American computer equipof an FBI inquiry into how secret briefing papers prepared ment being smuggled into the by President Carter found their Soviet Union. way into the hands of the

The Foreign Ministry, an-Reagan campaign staff in nouncing the ban yesterday, October, 1980. containers in customs storage in intended to help to resolve the dispute between himself and Mr James Baker, the White House war material."

Chief of Staff, about how the papers were obtained. Mr Baker they contained "certain electronic equipment."

The containers arrived

the West German port of sailed. Hamburg. Customs in the United States said that they contained compo-

nents for a highly-advanced computer capable of guiding missile systems. They were being smuggled to the Soviet Union despite a United States ban on the supply of such hightechnology equipment. The shipment was part of goods originally sent to South Africa under a United States export licence. Other goods were seized at Washington's

request by Hamburg authorities

Mr Bjoern Eriksson, general

director of the Swidish customs authority, said that the agency was trying to trace the owners of the consignment. He said: "We found no prominment clues as to who was supposed to receive the goods. We shall search back through the transport chain to find out."

He said that a more thorough examination ould be necessary to determine the precisature of the equipment.

# Soviet envoy to leave

Monrovia (AFP) - Liberia has declared as personae non gratue the Soviet Ambassador, Mr. Anatoly Ulanov and Ghanian Charge d'Affairs Mr. Peter Sacket for activities incompatible with their diplomatic status, the Foreign Ministry appearance. to any future threats to commu nist rule, General Jaruzelski who combines the posts of party-leader. Prime Minister and Ministry anno

Defence Minister resigned his defence post in favour of his General Rudolf Kolaço, the Deputy Foreign Minister, said that the two diplomats have been given 48 hours to leave the country. The action was taken in order to "preserve the cordial relations substituting to between Liberia and the two sountries". long time deputy, General Florian Siwicki. But he was chosen by the Seim to be the chairman of the newly formed National Defence Committee. The new Defence Act gives the National Defence Committee No other details were given wide powers to supervise the but political observers believed Defence Ministry, declare war, or impose and administer a the move was connected with a plot to overthrow the ruling military council which was disclosed yesterday by Mr Samuel Doe, the head of state. Mr Doe said in a broadcast state of emergency.

General Zarzelski also made official the expected shake-up among his key economic aides.
Mr Janusz Obodowski, a
Deputy Prime Minister in
charge of economic reform
policies, has been dropped as that a foreign mission was aware of the plot and had promised aid, including arms and money, to the plotters. head of the Planning Com-mission Mr Zbigniew Madej, a Deputy Prime Minister respon-

### Prisoners go on rampage

Brisbane (AP) - More than 100 prisoners remained barri-caded in Brisbane's maximumsecurity prison after immates on a hunger strike lit fires and rampaged through the insti-

prison officers regained con-trol of the rest of the jail. The rebellious prisoners, armed with clubs, had smashed windows

### Mafia murder

Carini, Sicily (AP) - Gunmen firing from a speeding car shot dead a banker outside his house in what investigators described as the second Mafia-related slaying in 24 hours near this western Sicilian town. On Monday, five masked men stormed Carini hospital and killed a cattle-farmer.

### Refugee status

Mr Abdul Butt, aged 47, a Pakistani politician sentenced to 25 years in jail after being tried in absenctia, has been granted refugee status to remain in Britain after 17 months of uncertainty and a five-month spell in Ashford remand centre. He was accused of terrorist links.

### Kidnap contact

Amsterdam (AFP) - Heineken Breweries sent "warm congratulations" to the kidnappers of Mr Freddy Heineken, aged 60, in what was believed to be a coded message in the classified section of the *Teleg-*raaf newspaper. It invited them to make "initial contact... for

### Fine doubled

Los Angeles (Reuter) judge announced that from today he will double to \$20,000 (about £14,000) the daily fine he has imposed on Larry Flynt until the sex magazine publisher reveals the source of a key tape recording. Flynt appeared in court wearing an American flag as an apron.

### Galtieri trial

Buenos Aires - Summary proceedings have begun in the court-martial of former Presi-dent Leopoldo Galtieri and other top Argentine military leaders held responsible for Argentina's defeat in the Falk-lands war last year.

### Dynamite gift

New York (AFP) - An early "Christmas present" for President Reagan was found by Kennedy Airport post office officials to contain what seemed to be two sticks of dynamite. It had been mailed from Canada.

### Propane toll

Kakegawa, Japan (Reuter) -Fourteen people were killed and 27 injured in two propane gas explosions at a barbeque res-taurant in this central Japanese From Richard Wigg Madrid Two left-wing Basque politi-cans on trial before Spain's city. The single-storey res-taurant was wrecked. Supreme Court for allegedly Afghan claim

### Islamabad (Reuter) - An

Afghan general and about 11 Afghan or Soviet officials were killed last week when guerrillas shot down their belicopter south of Kubal, Western diplomats said here.

### **Pylons blast** Durban (Reuter) - Two

power pylons were damaged near Lurban by explosive devices, cutting off electricity to some villages. Nobody was Killer cable

### an excuse, for the group of extreme right-wing Army officers who staged the attempted coup later the same Chester, Texas (Reuter) - A steel cable snapped at a sawmill,

decapitating the owner and month, that democracy was three employees. A fifth man was injured. seeking eight-year prison sen-tences for 16 of the accused, and 11 years for the seventeenth. **Timely find** New Orleans (AP) - An old book found in the library of St

supreme court president, told the two who insisted on speaking Basque that the consti-Mary's Dominican College here could help to save the financially troubled school from closure. tution required them to use It is a valuable 1497 copy of the Nuremberg Chronicle and will be offered for sale. Castillian as the trial was being

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# Thatcher forced to fight on three fronts at Commonwealth talks

Soon after Mrs Thatcher arrived at Palam airport on a chilly Delhi morning she got her first taste of what the atmosphere of the Commonwealth Heads of Government meeting

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At a meeting with Mrs Indira Gandhi, who will be hosting the conference, Mrs Thatcher heard the Indian Prime Minister's the Indian Prime Minister's views on three of the main concerns of the conference: Namibia, the world economic order and the arms race.

On each subject the conference will attempt to put Mrs
Thatcher on the defensive; on each the British have no new proposals, but have a welldefined position to explain and

break the log-jam caused by the floated for an African Common-linkage of further movement wealth contingent which may be towards independence with able to replace the Cubans in withdrawal of Cuban troops Angola. from Angola.

The discussions on southern
Africa will be formally opened they will be seeking to have some flesh put on the bones of nia and he is certain to press the whether they think it has any Western five-nation contact group represented here by Canada and Britain for this

the contact group nations, speaking will be Mrs Gandhi; which also include West Mrs Thatcher; Mr Pierre Tru-

moving and that they should be allowed to get on with it. This time the concept of "patient diplomacy", which Britain will be arguing in favour of, may be more difficulties may be reduced by the fact that the discussion on southern Africa Minster, and the youngest head of government in the commonwealth, Mr Ieremia Tabai, was more familiar as the Gilbert Islands.

On the world economic order, Mrs Gandhi, as chairman of the non-aligned movement

have been on retreat to Goa where in an informal atmosphere such problems may be ironed out. But the presence of Mr Sam Nujoma, leader of the South-West African People's Organization (Swapo), in Delhi lobbying delegations. lobbying delegations to support

whether they think it has any chance of success.

President Shagari will be further progress.

At Melbourne two years ago the opening session today. Also Germany, France and America, deau, the Canadian Prime

> he refused to resign as Prime Minister, President Eanes dis-

tution then in effect.

President Eanes: Personal conflict with Government.

armed forces.

followed, was dissolved.

week, by which time the Commonwealth leaders will have been on retreat to

Mrs Thatcher, who will preside over the next summit meeting of the seven industrial nations in London in June, will be anxious to explain that the defined position to explain and to try to gain understanding for.

On Namibia the African Much of the discussion may reduction in the rate of inflation delegations are expected to demand some kind of action to President Shagari of Nigeria has growth in the level of economic activity.

> Tiger topics: The future of Indian tigers was the main point of talks here yesterday between Mrs Gandhi and the Duke of

Edingurgh (AFP reports).
The Duke is president of the World Wildlife Fund and Mrs Gandhi is associated with "Project Tiger", started 10 years ago to save threatened Indian tigers. The prince and Prime Minister were attending anniversary celebrations of the project, which has helped to create 14 tiger reserves in India.



### Andropov gets a mention in Pravda

From Richard Owen

Pravdo, marked the anniversary of Mr Yuri Andropor's first speech as party leader last year, but only mentioned his name once in yesterday's front page editorial.

Ten days ago the Soviet press ignored the anniversary of Mr Andropor's election as party leader. The Communist Party newspaper published an article in memory of Mr Andropor's predecessor, Leonid Brezhnev, which criticized the slackness and inefficiency of the Brezhnev years but praised the former leader as an "outstanding figure" who had laid the basis

Yesterday's front page Prayda editorial recalled Mr Andropov's promise at the November, 1982, Central Committee plenum to improve Soviet living standards. The article praised the subsequent drive for efficiency, labour discipline and economic growth discipline and economic growth. Most of this was in general terms, however, and Mr Andropov's name was not men at all in connexion with the second Central Committee plenum of his leadership in

### **Battle on Soviet** jet leaves 7 dead

Moscow (Reuter) - Seven people were killed in a gunbattle on a Soviet airliner after eight young hijackers tried to force it to fly to Turkey, informed

Soviet sources said yesterday.

They said that the group, which came on board in a wedding party, commandeered the airliner after it took off from Tbilisi, Soviet Georgia, on an internal flight last Friday to the

Black Sea port of Batumi.
Shooting broke out after the pilots fooled the hijackers about their route and landed at Tbilisi again. Three crew members amd three passengers were killed, the source said, as well as one of the hijackers who was believed to have shot himself.

Georgian television an-nounced the incident over the weekend but said only that a "number of people" had died. The source said that there were five men and three women among the hijackers, some of them the children of prominent Georgian officials and cultural

They went to the airport after a wedding party in Tbilisi with the bride and groom The crew members who died were the chief pilot, the flight

mechanic and a stewardess. Government officials have been told that the hijack The third pleasum was due to be held this month but has been been appeared. An investigation has delayed, apparently because of Mr Andropov's illness. He has not been seen in public for over three months.

# Eanes crumbles and sacks army chief

Submitting to pressure from Eanes of Portugal yesterday reluctantly dismissed the Army Chief of Staff, General Garcia dos Santos. His decision came four months after the Cabinet of Mario Soares had first asked for the general's dismissal.

General dos Santos, who is 47, played a prominent role in the army coup that restored democracy to Portugal in 1947. He was the last of the predominantly left-wing army officers who took part in it to retain a high active post in the

He has been a strong supporter of Portugal's role in Nato. but has often publicly criticized the alliance partners for failing to give adequate material aid to the Portuguese

appointed General dos Santos to head the army, chose to ignore the Cabinet's request last July to dismiss him. He was finally forced to comply this week after Dr Soares wrote a letter saying that the Cabinet's wish should be carried out

within two weeks.

The President's spokesman said: "The decision to acquiesce to the wishes of the Government over a problem not of the President's making was taken to prevent conflict at a time when the country is experiencing serious difficulties."

President Eanes had earlier consulted General dos Santos and other general staff officers. This test of strength between the President and the Soares

Government is indicative of the tensions between them. It is also an indication of the struggle between the military hierarchy and the civilian politicians for control of the armed forces.

The tension has its basis in the fact that under the constitution the President and the government are elected separaleaning political independent, has twice been elected by large majorities. No single political party has been able to win an overall majority in parliamen-

Dr Soares's first minority government fell in 1977. His second government - split apart include all of the armed forces. I of them

### Naples poll blow to the left From Peter Nichols Rome in the summer of 1978. When

missed him. The two have since parties marked the declaration The right-of-centre coalition governments which came after the Socialist-Christian Democrat coalition were thwarfed.

every turn by President Eanes, particular, the Christian Democrats were anxious for a good who vetoed their laws as showing to prove that their unconstitutional according to the Marxist-oriented constigeneral election setback in June was temporary.

The regional results showed a drop in the Christian Democrat vote but only of 2.5 per cent compared with the last regional lectons in 1978.

In Naples the party won back a chunk of the votes lost in the general election. In Reggio alabria it dropped a little by other party. On balance, the country's largest party can be said to have stemmed fears of vote disintegrating.

Signor Bettino Craxi, the country's first Socialist Prime Minister, required good results to give credence to the historic hange which his premiership

Last year, the political parties worked together on a revision of entails. The Socialists held their the constitution which stripped position in Trentino-Alto Adige the President of many of his powers - including the right to Reggio Calabria and the Repub-appoint a chief of staff of the licans also either lost nothing or won ground. The real surprise A new defence law put the was the Communist failure.

armed forces squarely under the The Communists have now order of the civilian Minister of lost Naples which they had Defence. The Council of the administered for the past eight revolution, made up of the years and, in Reggio Calabria officers who carried out the they fell back 8 per cent by 1974 revolution and which has comparison with the June

been influential in the years that | election. Although the majority of the ate was in fact strictly limited . armed forces are now non-pol- under a million voters were itical, many officers openly expressed their fears that this involved and the one region concerned. Adige, can scarcely be regarded as typical because of its specia government and the previous right-of-centre Government were, bent on undoing many of ethnic problems on the norththe changes wrought by the em frontier.

Yet great importance was attached to the contests because Another reason President Eanes gave for giving-in to the demands of the Government to they represented the first electoral test faced by Signor Craxi's Government since its formation dismiss General dos Santos was that he wanted to prevent a five months ago. Interest was conflict that was essentially between himself and the Government from extending to Craxi's own uncertain handling Government from extending to

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# British cabbie charged with murder

cab driver apparently impli-cated himself in a voluntary statement about the disappearance of six people, the Los Angeles Times said yesterday. He indicated that the victims may be buried in the desert north of here.

Ashley Francois Paulle, aged 43, of London, was charged on Monday with six counts of firstdegree murder in the disappearance last year of six San Fernando Valley residents

Mr Paulle, who was allegedly in southern California during the disappearances, returned here with a Scotland Yard detective to make a statement. Mr Paulle and another Briton, Harvey Rader, aged 41, were arrested last Thursday.

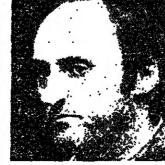
The District Attorney, Mr Robert Philibosian, said evidence indicated that Peter Salomon, aged 39, her daughter, Davis, aged 55, and his wife, Michelle and her son Mitchell,



Mr Rader: Released after four days.

Joan, aged 45, were killed during a burglary at their Granada Hills home in March

On October 12, 1982, Elaine



Mr Paulle: Believed to have implicated himself.

were killed in their Northridge home during another bruglary The Superior Court ordered bail. Charges were not filed against Mr Rader and he was released on Monday.

# Brandy goes to Hongkong's head

Alcoholism is a growing social problem in Hongkong as local Chinese follow the beavy drinking habits of foreign

Hongkong

Since the mid-1970s Hongkong has become the world's

brandy and the fifth largest in overall terms, importing 400-000 cases of brandy a year about one bottle for every man, woman and child. Mr Lachian MacQuarrie, head of the Hongkong Polytechnic School of Social Work,

shown a switch from taking Chinese wine with meals to Wester beverages

Hongkong, according to Mr MacQuarrie, was likely to resemble Japan, where alcoho



### **SPECTRUM**

# Design for high living

Georgina Howell meets

David Minaric, one of Britain's leading interior designers, a perfectionist who believes that decoration

should become an integral part of the building

For a designer who never aims at grandeur, David Minaric decorates an awful lot of palaces. He is at the moment at work on the British embassy in Paris, a first category monument and the residence of Napoleon's sister, Pauline Borghese, until the Duke of Wellington bought it complete with contents soon after Waterloo. In London he is redecorating the magnificent Aspinall Curzon House Club before beginning work in the Brussels embassy, an eighteenth entury court house remodelled ciween the wars and filled with mported Viennese rococo.

one of Britain's leading interior reigners, he is also a frequent adviser the National Trust, and produces reden furniture with the Duchess of evonshire from Paxton's workshop; Chatsworth. He already has so much ork under way for 1984 that he could only fit your Queen Anne hunting box mly fit your Queen Anne hunting box r Park Lane flat into his schedule with ifficulty. Even if you were prepared to ait, and to pay, you might be isappointed. Several times over the ist few years David Mlinaric has been ummoned to country houses, and ven abroad, and having been dined and wined and taken all over the house has finally said, "Leave it as it is." It is not unusual for him to reduce the commission to a single contribution mixing up a pot of paint to reconcile incompatible upholstery and curtains, or applying a coat of varnish to tone down a wall that is too bright - because he does not regard himself so much an arbiter of taste as an upholder of architectural values. As Christopher Gibbs, antique furniture dealer and old friend, puts it "He flays the room down to the bones. He is the antithesis of the interior decorator who enters a room and says, 'Magenta here, dear'." On the other hand, if he takes your house on he will not rest until he has achieved some kind of perfection. I saw London with Roman eyes, I can which he defines as decoration re- remember how homely, small-scale sponding so directly to the architecture and agreeable it looked, with that good

some French curtain-trimming 16 times before he was satisfied with the colour and weight.

Mlinaric made his name in the 1960s with work of a very different kind. Good at bold, quick effects, he was particularly successful with ingenious settings for dances, such as a Chinese pavillon in peacock blue fretwork with good lanterns, a masterpiece of battening, gauze and gold cardboard, or a bandstand of orange and yellow ribbons supported by matching gas-filled balloons. Caught up in the vortex of London life, he was seen december, houses for Mich. soon decorating houses for Mick Jagger, George Harrison and Eric Clapton; he once advised a client to paint his entire flat in purple and lime

The son of a furrier who arrived in England before the First World War from Slovenia (later Yugoslavia), Mlinaric was educated at Downside, where he remembers admiring the fine Gothic lines of the nineteenth-century abbey church. His original intention was to be an architect, but after two terms he transferred to the Bartlett School of Decoration where he was taught on the "good old Beaux Arts principle" of seeing through drawing.

### He began by removing acres of gold paint

or six months we drew an elevation of three columns of the Parthenon measured to scale and coloured with Chinese ink washes. When we had got that right, we moved on."
Three years later he took his portfolio, complete with the last school project, a golf club restaurant, to Hicks, Fowler and Inchbald in search of a job. Fowler was the only firm to turn him down, ironically since Mlinaric was to step into John Fowler's choose as National into John Fowler's shoes as National Trust adviser when he died in 1977. He was taken on as office boy at Michael Inchbald, where he extended a two-month trial into two years before leaving the country to spend six months measuring and drawing buildings in Rome. When he ran out of money in Paris on the way home he had to go to the British embassy for help and found himself examining with interest the outside of the building he would redecorate 20 years later.
"When I got back to Victoria Station

hat it becomes an integral part of the old W1 muddle of white stone and red uilding. He is a perfectionist in a brick." He was now only one move nedium whose resolutions are reached away from setting up on his own. From hrough trial and error. Miles of calico an educational stint in an architect's are sacrificed to the six or seven toiles office learning the practical details, he will make for curtains before his took John Singer Sargent's former team is permitted to cut into velvet or studio in Tite Street and moved in damask, and he recently sent back with one commission, to remodel and nationalities and the way they live.



David Mimaric: "The British are genuinely envied for their sometimes down-at-heel way of life" (Photograph by Don McCullin)

redecorate a flat in Cadogan Square. "For the first time I knew the satisfaction of upgrading a set of rooms by removing the postwar conversions and restoring the proper proportions."

One job well done led to another, eventually to his first important house, Millichope Park, an 1830 Greek Revival house in Shropshire which had been a school and now needed to be tailored to the requirements of a young family. The finished house was seen by Country Life's architectural writer, historian John Cornforth, who was impressed by the way David Mlinaric had used paint to stress the architectural values of the great hall, and was instrumental in bringing him to the attention of the National Trust.

The Trust commissions began with Beninebrough Hall in Yorkshire, a handsome eighteenth-century house that had survived virtually intact and was being prepared to receive the National Portrait Gallery loan of a fine collection of portraits. Mlinaric stepped in at an early stage after John Fowler's death, and began by removing acres of gold paint from the Great Hall, and stripping 150 years of paint from the columns. "It seemed that the simpler it was, the better it looked".

Most of Mlinaric's clients today are the well-heeled British, America and French, which has given him a certain insight into the difference between the

"To American women, housekeeping is a discipline second to none. The presentation is a daily ritual, with fresh flowers, new books, scent sprayed around, pictures moved week by week. Their clothes are equally trim, but one suspects that a Mrs Regan is more interested in the straightness of her hem than the fabric."

The French, he says, are the most stylish of all. Their drawing rooms are the grandest: "It would be unthinkable to find the children jumping on the sofa or a dog lying in front of the fire." The lifestyle of both nationalities, he says, require enormous effort and can be a tyranny. The British are genuinely envied for their comfortable, undemanding, sometimes rather down-at-heel way of life. "We love sash windows, turned bannisters and moulded panel doors. This must be the only country where even architects prefer to live in Victorian houses."

His own family are just an open door away from his present office, a Cheisea studio with a gallery and dark green fireplace, and any of his phone. The portrait that hangs over the sister Penelope.

between the architectural requirements revival."

of a building and its present purpose. Embassies, he says, are working houses, not museum pieces to be judged by their historical accuracy. In Washington, where the embassy is a Lutyens house, he decorated the drawing room for the then ambassa-dress, Lady Henderson. "My first response to a Lutyens is to be very calm and quiet. But as the room was used for shaking hands before dinner with an enormous number of guests, we treated it in a different way and made it as warm, light and welcoming as possible."

In Paris, on the other hand, the accuracy of the Empire decoration was the point. "It is on a par with the decoration you can see at Compiègne, Malmaison, Fontainebleau and the German embassy so carefully restored after the war. It was a tightly defined style with a life of only 14 years. Madame Recamier would have had it, a nobleman living in the Auvergne would not." After months of careful detective work, Mlinaric and John Cornforth, who now reappeared as the Foreign Office's consultant on historic buildings, discovered that the loom and jacquard for the correct Empire demask still existed in England and were able to recreate the wall hangings for the Salon Rouge. Apart from the obvious difference between working on an embassy and a private home, Mlinaric found that the embassy miniaric found that the embassy meant mountains of paperwork. "The Property Services Agency operate their formula whether you are doing up a palace of a police station. Why should we be any different? For chrome taps read gold leaf."

### 'I'm beginning to believe in the craft revival' .

e is concerned for the grammar and vocabulary of architecture which has almost disappeared, and believes that most people can sense an anomaly even if they can't identify it. "For instance, there's a very eighteenth-century building under the flyover at Hammersmith which is a bus station. Good English baroque with two great garage doors bashed in it for the buses. Anyone could see that the elevation was wrong even if they didn't know how it was meant to be." If we lack an indigenous progressive style, he says, it is because of our disregard for the old architectural values, and the arrogant assump-tion that we can leap blind into the

Nevertheless, he views the post-Conran world with confidence. The new generation takes an enormous interest in design although they can't afford quality, which has become today's great luxury. They are bored with The Real Thing – terracotta tiles on the floor, scrubbed pine tables and earthenware bread crocks. They want cheap, effective glamour: Jocasta lines' Paint Magic swap curtains in Innes' Paint Magic, swag curtains in calico. As usual, the retailers are far behind the customers and the designers."

At his own rarified level of decoration, he say There are never enough skilled people, although you three children might pick up the can find a great range of crafts if you are prepared to wait. Working on site fire is by Rex Whistler of Mrs at Curzon House the other day Mlinaric's mother, Angela Dudley alongside bricklayers, painters, gilders Ward, later Lady Laycock, and her and plasterers, I suddenly realised that alongside bricklayers, painters, gilders and plasterers, I suddenly realised that for the first time in years there were After 23 years of work, Minaric has more young people present than old, become adept at striking a balance. I'm beginning to believe in the craft

### moreover... Miles Kington

# You can't boycott Boycott

deposed him while he was on a state visit to South Africa. "Make no mistake about it, I shall be back", he said from his numbered Swiss chalet in the hills above General. "My people will rise and overthrow the new government and then I will printed Make as mistake about it. will return, Make no mistake about it.

Although the English football team has been knocked out of the European Championship, the English fant are safely through to the next round, where they will meet the French police. Johnny Thunder, manager of the England fan squad, had no apologies to make for the alleged rough behaviour of his men in Luxembourg after their thrilling victory against the Luxembourg Army.

"At this level of football supporting you don't take prisoners, I thought our lack were magnificent. This is what the Falkiands spirit is all about - marching into a place and messing it up a bit before

a place and messing it up a bit before sorting it out.

Yorkshire rebel leader Yasser Boycott was Yorkshite rebel leader Yasser Boycott was being driven deeper into the northern hills last night, as loyalist committee members brought their heavy communiques into action against rebel members. Civilian damage has been heavy; many families are reported to have fled to the pubs to get away from the incessant exchanges round the dinner table. But Boycott will be hard to display the public position involves. to dislodge entirely; his position implacable, not to say impregnable, not to say dead bat. Our front-line correspondent

This beautiful county, so tragically divided by warring groups, now lies in ruins ... " (continued yesterday)

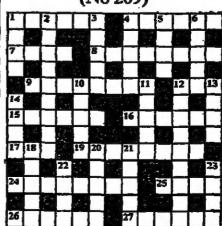
Another great night for European soccer tonight, as the British clubs go into action tonight, as the British crubs go into action to average the national exit from the European stage. M6 Wanderers have the hardest task against an in-form Dynamo Service Area of Holland, who put out Sporting Bollard in the last round; star striker Jackie Robson reported with two fractured legs this morning but hopes to come through a late fitness test. Glasgow Presbyterians should have no difficulty in building up a 3-0 deficit away to Dresden building up a 3-0 deficit away to Dresden Atheists while Glen Shamrock carry Irish hopes to faraway Thrush Spjot in Albania.

Wild rumours are flying round Yorkshire as to the health of ailing statesman Yuri Boycott, who has not been seen in public since sensational reports of his dismissal first started two months ago. He was conspicuous by his absence from the annual parade of Yorkshire pre-war trophies, nor was he to be seen during the Hutton biribday celebrations, when traditionally all Yorkshiremen go out and get maudlin. Is he dead? Has he finally been run out by someone else? Or is he, as the some distant pitch. 34 not out on the fourth

The announcement of a prize for any international rugby team that scores more points with tries than penalty kicks has been greeted in all informed quarters as a practical joke. Or, if it is true, it is given no more chance of success than last year's trophy for any journalist who could honestly start a rugby report without saying "Although perhaps totally lacking in handling and running skills, this match was the most exciting for many a long

General Boycott, architect of Yorkshire's defeats last year, is to be court-martialled for his part in the county's disgrace, it was announced yesterday. The general, who is under house arrest by an unnamed newspaper, was not free to comment last night. (Coming soon: extracts from a sensational new book, Sporting the Chinaman, in which it is claimed that Geoffrey Boycott was recruited as a youth by an unnamed foreign power. Only in Moreover, a sub-division of Mark McCor-mack Worldwide.)

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# Trying to go faster than Concorde - without leaving the ground

t was with some surprise that the incchanics who supervised the successful British attempt to recapture the world land speed record would pull back the cockpit cover of Thrust 2, after a near-supersonic run, to find the driver, far from being reduced to the semblance of a pallid aspen leaf, sitting there writing notes about the car's performance.

Ever since Richard Noble was six years old, and saw John Cobb's water speed record boat Crusader on Loch Ness, it was his ambition to drive a vehicle of outrageous horse power." Thirty-one years later, not much has changed. He still has that wide-eyed, uncomplicated eathusiasm which makes adventurous small boys such

While tens of thousands of people were absorbed last summer in the British campaign for the America's Cup. Noble was less conspicuously, but more hair-raisingly, engaged in relieving the at supersonic speed well above 760 United States of another sports mph. He has promised his wife trophy whose equally dramatic Sally that he will not drive again.

celebrated figures as Henry Segrave, Malcolm Campbell, George Eyus-ton, Cobb and Donald Campbell. His recapture of the record, with the assistance of some 220 sponsors and contributors, at speeds faster than any civil aircraft other than Concorde, is a remarkable story going back to the start of the pipedream in 1974.

With the record now standing at a phenomenal 633 mph, Noble is convinced that when the Americans have recaptured it in a few years, the next British bid will have to be

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but he will be impatient to put all his knowldge and experience behind manaing a new project. "We'll find a driver and train him", he says with a grin, confident of discovering another adult school-boy. Finding 220 industrial and commercial backers is as important unlike Peter de Savary, Noble cannot privately finance his par-

After school at Winchester, he sold paint and then Crimplene fibres for ICI - £60m a year of the stuff for three years - until he feared he was in danger of becoming as boring as Crimplene, and set off with four girls and another man on an expedition. London-to-Cape Town, in a 13year-old Land Rover. His explanation of the four girls is that they were more free of ties than most men: he married one of them. In 1974, while working for Guest,

Keen & Nettlefolds, he decided on Project Thrust. There would be a series of three cars: an experimental jet, then a vehicle sufficiently capable of demonstrating high performance to gain financial backing, then the record attempt. Noble sold his domestic motor car, bought a motorcycle and garnered £1,000 capital. Thrust 1, with a Rolls-Royce Derwent 8 engine from a Meteor fighter, a knock-down at 200, and assembled in a garage at Thames. Ditton, achieved nearly 200 mph and a testing noise-level which vibrated the neighbours out

of bed. Thrust I came to an abrupt end in 1977, when a wheel-bearing failed at Fairford airfield, and the car triple-flipped upside down. Noble undid his seat belt, fell out on his head unharmed, and was left with nothing more than £175 of scrap value. Yet the seeds of interest had been sown: the RAF took note, and when he lectured to senior officers at Adastral House, Noble was asked how they might



The next British bid will have to be at supersonic speed well above 760 mph

help. He said: "How about an obsolete Lightning?" The Ministry of Defence duly made available an Avon 210 and, begging a truck and a crane, Noble transported it to Twickenham. The problem now was to build a vehicle around the 34,000-hp engine eight times as powerful as Bluebird, with 4 650 mph capability.

Unqualified to design it himself, and with no money to advertise. was flat broke. An hour later they had agreed to underwrite and build the tubular frame.

Noble put out a press release: "Sit. vac., 650mph car designer", and received 160 replies. Eventually John Ackroyd began work in an "office" rented for £5 a week in a derelict house. Advertising at the Motor Fair at Earls Court, Noble had an interview with representatives from Tube Investments. They arrived at midday instead of 3pm. Our adventurer felt obliged to entertain them to lunch, and after paying the £65 bill, project Thrust

Noble continued his employment with GKN, working on Thrust from

breakfast and from supper-time to midnight. Initial Services laundry had put in a substantial sponsorship, but by early 1980, with the car scheduled to run in May, the project was three weeks short of closure through the pressure of bills. Noble was obliged face Initial Services' directors with the truth, only to discover they had doubled their cheque before the meeting began. Now GKN gave him 18 months paid leave, British Aerospace provided wind-numel testing facilities and a more advanced Avon 320 engine was bought. bought.

But the setbacks continued. At Bonneville Salt Flats in the US the next year, Thrust 2 exceeded 500mph, only for flooding of the dried lake to halt its progress. Preparing for a new attempt in 1982, Noble crashed the car at 190mph when testing at Greenham Common airfield, the parachute brake failing, and the damage required a £50,000 refit. Arriving late at Bonneville, the car was not even unloaded; it was raining, and the flooding was measured in feet rather than inches.

"We felt we couldn't return home and face the sponsors without running the car, so John Ackroyd went north to look at Alvord Lake in Cregon, and I went south to Black Rock Desert at Gerlach, north-east of Reno in Nevada. We chose Black Rock." No one has ever raced on the mud flats, which are washed by a swamp tide, which in summer dries out leaving a 15mile flat surface on billions of saucer-sized polygons. These have a slight movement, which cushions the solid aluminium wheels per-

They planned to run in June, 1983, but the mud had not dried. Ackrovd went as advance reconsissauce to report daily on the state of the wicket; the 250 population of

Garlach's little railway town got busy with posters and streamers; now the Bureau of Land Management gave environmental approval; and the schoolchildren expectantly wanted mornings off and a free seat in the world's largest stadium.

Eventually, Thrust 2 arrived in late August after its £20,000 air ferry in a 747 freighter to Los Angeles, and the team of 26 started the laborious job of preparing the 16 lanes of 50 widths each — none from he used more than concerned. 16 lanes of 50 widths each — none can be used more than once — at a rate of five miles a day, removing every stone as big as a cigarette end, plus a few unexploded shells. On a slim budget, every day counted.

"Two runs a day are a maximum, you are so drained afterwards," admits Nobel, who has unergone intensive training with the Royal Military Police, achieving Grade A in the army physical fitness assessment after severe work with weights, swimming and running,

weights, swimming and running tearing a knee cartilage on the way. Run 11, starting at 15.30 on October 4, with a 5½ -mile approach run, produced speed of 624.241 mph over a measured mile, The return run, with a six-mile apporach and the decibles exceeding bearable pain limits, lifted to 642.971 mph with a maximum 650.88. As the 1,500ft high dustcloud settled on the cheering crowd

of 200, the record was Britain's with

a 633.468 average.

With the moment of history now gone, he is left, when driving down English motorways, with un-comfortable withdrawal symptoms. Thrust 2, after exhibitions, will retire to the Beaulieu Museum; the spare wheels and brick-brac of an historic project will be auctioned next month by Christie's, the proceeds shared by the crew, And Nobel pipe-dreams about a car "which will do something really big say between 900 and 1,000 mph".

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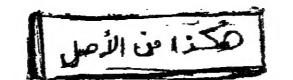
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### **WEDNESDAY PAGE**

# Private medicine's serious shortfall

One in 15 people in this country now has earlier this year. Laura Schwable is private medical insurance. But how many covered under BUPA's top benefit scheme have read the small print, let alone in a hospital which claims to work within between the lines? MARY ENSOR tells | these rates. The problem is that Laura's the story of a baby in an incubator in a | uninsured 'extras' are running at over private London hospital since her birth | £1,000 a week

Until the Portland Hospital for Women and Children opened in June this year with a special care baby unit (SCBU), there were no intensive care facilities for babies in the private sector in Britain. All very sick babies born in private hospitals, even in the most expensive American-owned clinics like the Humana in St John's Wood, had no alternative but to be rushed to the nearest National Health SCBU. where they are almost invariably

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Hospital Capital Corporation. who owns the Portland, has been bold in entering this field. Along with special care, the Portland offers neonatal intensive care ("neonatal" describes a baby under 28 days old). a branch of medicine in which astonishing advances have been

made in the past two years.
Unfortunately, although this is one area in which the NHS cuts have not yet bitten deep, even large London teaching hospitals are already turning away babies who might otherwise be saved: St Thomas's SCBU cannot admit babies one day in three and those at Guys and L'niversity College Hospital are so understaffed that they are operating at two-thirds capacity.

Some NHS consultants voice grave doubts about the private sector's ability to cope with such specialized treatment. But since pregnancy complications are covered by health schemes and one in 10 babies born after difficulties in labour needs immediate life support. it would seem to make sense to many people with insurance to go to

the Portland, where they offer SCBU alongside the comforts of a hotel. Victor and Jenny Schwable centainly thought so. They are a young middle-class couple who claimed for care. When Victor

acquired BUPA cover in a way which is becoming increasingly which is becoming increasingly typical - Victor's firm offers medical insurance on the London scale as an employee "perk". When it became clear that Jenny's second pregnancy would be difficult, her consultant gynaecologist suggested the Portland because the baby would almost certainly need special care.

On August 20 this year Laura

Schwable was born. Three months premature, and weighing just over lib lioz, she went straight into an incubator in the new unit. A few days later she had heart surgery. While the parents agonized over Laura's struggle for life, the hospital administration woke up to an appalling situation it should have foreseen; the exceptionally tiny baby was so ill that her only chance of survival lay in months of the most specialized nursing. A large proportion of the massive cost would be incurred by items which BUPA specifically excludes from claims.

Within a couple of weeks of the birth, the Portland sent BUPA a bill for £4,205 to cover hospital care. On September 10, Victor Schwable sent BUPA a bill he had paid for the birth itself: £1,180. He then paid and sent off more bills, totalling £1,010, for the surgeon's fee for the heart operation and further care. BUPA normally claims to turn bills around within 48 hours but it was not until October 10, exactly a month after he had sent off the first one, that Victor Schwable learned from them that he was liable for nearly £1,000 of the expenditure claimed. There was a shortfall of £345 on the bill for the birth (BUPA disputed the charge) but what really alarmed the Sch-wables was that they also owed £583 of the £4,025 the hospital had

phoned the local BUPA branch manager he was told that this was the sum by which the hospital's initial bill had exceeded BUPA's total annual limit of £330 for "diagnostic and paramedical services". The amount of £583 was simply the first instalment in one category of charges that would be the parents' sole responsibility from then on.

At this point, little Laura had a relapse and the Schwables, who had borne the strain well up to now, became temporarily distraught. So it was not antil October 14 that Victor, confused, upset and angry, confronted Ron Staker, chief executive at the Portland, and demanded an explanation of his liabilities to date. Mr Staker did not want to alarm

him. Everyone at the hospital was anxious about the baby. Laura's consultant. Or David Harvey, had said he did not want the parents to worry about money. Harvey, who dresses elegantly and drives a black Porsche, heads the medical advisory committee at the Portland and runs a private practice which includes among the patients Prince William and other royal babies. He is also consultant paediatrician at Queen Charlotte's and if anything had gone wrong he would have transferred Laura to the NHS.

At this meeting, according to Victor Schwable, Mr Staker pro-duced a photostat sheet detailing these items: pathology, radiology, ultrasound, X-rays and physio-therapy. Laura, in just eight weeks, had needed £4,107 worth of care, some £3,777 over BUPA's annual

October 19 Victor Schwable said that he simply couldn't believe that he would be expected to pay a bill of £4,000 to £5,000 so far.



Jenny and Victor Schwable with Laurel: can private health care cope?

But conversations with BUPA confirmed the limit on diagnostic and paramedical services and also revealed that the Portland's £250-aday basic charge for intensive care left a further shortfall of £579.60 a week. Consultants' fees, after BUPA's contribution, merely added

another £40 to this weekly bill. Mr Schwable had failed to decipher BUPA's benefit terms and was only confused over the extent of cover for the consultant's fees. But it gradually became clear that the hospital was worried that BUPA might not cover the excess charges and even now the Portland's negotiations with the insurance companies are so inconclusive that Mr Staker prefers to call them "discussions". In the event of BUPA not paying the Schwables would have to be asked to contribute "what they can afford".

The problem facing Mr Staker and the Portland is that BUPA bases its top benefit plan on rates charged by the London teaching hospitals. According to Mr Staker: "Charges for private patients in NHS hospi-

tals are completely unrealistic. It's a quarter of the real cost of treatment. Not only are babies like Laura treated free, even adults aren't charged properly for the use of an operating theatre and the only charge for X-rays is the consultant's fee. They don't charge at all for medical and surgical items -

A potential hazard for private hospitals now is that many recent advances in medicine look like good business but the insurance companies, while publicly avowing commitment to all levels of private health care, are incapable of coping with the bills. Any BUPA-owned hospital would have sent Laura (if it could have found a space) to an NHS unit for intensive care. The capital investment required is so great that few private hospitals of any sort can match the public sector where serious illness is concerned. So a heavily weighted proportion of seriously ill patients are invisibly subsidized becaue they have to go private within the NHS, BUPA even

who arrange to get NHS treatment

At the private Cromwell Hospital which offers exceptional facilities renal dialysis, renal and cardiac surgery, bone marrow transplants (particularly expensive) and the only private radiotherapy unit in the country - the technical limits set by BUPA's top London Plan are simply ignored. As part of "a very good relationship", the Cromwell has regularized the fairly widespread system whereby BUPA "doubles". up" cover in serious cases. This would mean, for example, that the limit for baby Laura's diagnostic and paramedical charges rises from £330 to £660. Ron Staker took it for granted that "doubling up" would apply to Laura, but it is not mentioned in the published details of benefits, and the BUPA branch

manager told Victor Schwable quite clearly that £330 is as far as they go. The Cromwell sometimes approachs charities in desperate cases but, as it turned out, no such measures were needed to settle

Laura Schwable's bill. BUPA, after

suggesting that the Portland send the baby in an incubator by ambulance to the NHS, agreed to make an open-ended commitment to total cover (excluding the bills which Victor had, perhaps foolishly,

claimants who currently find their bills are not met in full may be interested to know that these discretionary payments are commonplace. Persistence is needed to get through to Dr David Gullick at head office "I'm the tip of the iceberg") authorizing cheques for all sorts of things like outpatient psychiatric treatment and ambu-iance rides. "It is part of the BUPA pattern" that they currently spend about £1.75m, about 1 per cent of their budget, in this curiously ad hoc

way.

When everything was finally settled. Jerry Williams. assistant general manager (operations) made an unsolicited phone call to make sure that the position was clear. He denied that BUPA is in financial trouble (although income barely outstripped payments in 1982) and denied the claim that the annual subscriptions are unrealistically low. He also denied that it is BUPA policy to avoid covering serious illness ("I believe that it is right that the private sector should be a standalone system and we ought to be able to provide the facilities for major surgery") and at the same time said that the payment for Laura Schwable would be made "ex gratia" and create no precedent for the future. "We've got now to sit down and work out a policy as to what we are going to do", he said, setting no time limit on decisions which should surely have been taken and made public before the Portland's SCBU opened in June.

And what about the Schwables? Laura weighs 3lb 7oz, can almost breathe on her own now and as soon as she reaches 5lb her parents can take her home. They have no complaints about the hospital at all. Jenny Schwable is still hoping for a boy and she would like to have him

# Living up to the Marks standards

Mrs Elaine Blond lives, as befits the during the war. In the late 1953 last surviving child of the founder of they discussed setting up a research Marks & Spencer, within walking centre together, but Sir Archibald distance of its Marble Arch branch. She occasionally checks on the shop's quality and, if she sees a garment she disapproves of buys and scientists is now working on one and sends it to the directors for methods of preventing rejection in

She also believes in the Marks tradition of using money for the benefit of others. Today she is orginiques a reception in London for the Blond McIndoe Centre for Medical Research at which the Queen Mother, as patron, will be present. The centre, inspired by the work of Sir Archibald McIndoe, a pioneer in plastic surgery, was set up at East Grinstead 25 years ago by Elaine Blond and her husband, the

late Neville Blond. There have been many and various causes over the years - from helping to run a family planning clinic in the 1930s, to dealing with outbreaks of artistic temperament when her husband become chairman of the English Stage Company at the

Royal Court. They are not causes you would immediately associate with Mrs Blond at first meeting. The door of her flat is opened silently by a maid in a black uniform and the visitor immediately sinks ankle-deep into the pile carpet. Ten yards on, at the other end of the hall, a manservant is there to usher visitors through a door to Mrs Blond's second

Being 81 years of age has not hindered her social timetable. After our interview she was off to have dinner with her stepson. Anthony Blond, the publisher. The next evening she was entertaining 12 to dinner. No falling back on Marks & Spencer dishes, either, excellent though she thinks they are, as she has her own cook.

sittingroom.

If it is a case of social life versus causes, however, the causes win. The Blond McIndoe Centre is very close to her heart. She and Neville met Sir Archibald McIndoe when they first made their home in East Grinstead

died at an early stage of planning.

The Blonds went ahead on their

own and the centre's team of doctors their opinion. She is a great believer in keeping up standards. reconstructive surgery. While the war was on, the Blonds gave up half their East Grinstead house to pilots injured in the Battle of Britain, the men whom McIndoe called his "guinea-pigs" in his early work on skin grafting. "I used to have friends down for

> the weekend", Mrs Blond said. "We had a huge diningroom and I always arranged for the boys who were well enough to join us for dinner. A lot of friends found it very difficult to take, and the choice sometimes came between friends and the boys, so I had to give up some of my friends. "Archibald McIndoe was a marvellous man, because apart from being a great surgeon, he was terribly good at keeping up people's courage and making them accept what had happened to them. Neville got the centre off the ground, and the Medical Research Council has been quite generous, but we could no: keep going without private donations.

> Mrs Blond became involved her first major cause after her first marriage at the age of 22. She campaigned for family planning along with Dr Edith Summerskill. helped to open a clinic in Manchester where her family lived.

> "I held a big meeting in the playroom of our home. Three of us, including myself, were pregnant at the time. We didn't think of it as birth control, but as family planning. and I wish they would go back to calling it that. We opened the first clinic in the city and I think we were pretty brave. There was a lot of opposition and every time we went there we had to be protected by the

"A lot of people were against my being involved. I certainly would not have been allowed to do it if I hadn't already been married, having



Elaine Blond at home: Blonds prefer causes

my own children. It was still necessary to explain the principle behind it - spacing your family and having the children when you wanted them. It was all quite different from nowadays."

Asked why she became involved in these causes, the answer is crisp. "I became involved in family planning because I believed in it. Marks & Spencer has always thought of the welfare of people; I am a member of that family, and was brought up with that philosophy. My father, who died when I was three, looked after other people before he looked after himself. I don't think one needs to look for a motivation for doing good, only for doing evil."

She is joint president of the British Committee of the Women's International Zionist Organization, which runs welfare and educational establishments throughout Israel and, more unconventionally, president of the English Stage Company at the Royal Court. Her second husband. Nevill Blond - a Manchief government adviser on translantic trade - was the Court's first

"I don't always like their choice, but we are there to put on peculiar plays, let's face it. If it hadn't been for my husband, John Osborne would not have had a chance. His first play, Look Back in Anger, had been rejected by the other theatrical managements. I could never get over the fact that Neville was so patient with all of them. I would have murdered them, and I could never get over the way those directors nearly came to blows. The only time I ever interfered, though, was when members of the artistic committee were at our home discussing The Entertainer. They were against putting on the play, despite Lau-rence Olivier wanting to play in it, and I said: "You're all raving mad. If you can get Olivier into your theatre, take it.' I think I did finally push them over."

No doubt Mrs Blond will be playing a part in the Marks & Spencer centenary celebrations next year. The centenary, in true Marks style, will be commemorated by each store in the country making a contribution to a local charity or

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### Caught by the Santa clause

hysteria can be stemmed no more. It will not be long now before advent calendars stand prematurely unpicked on the mantlepiece and sad little drifts of acrosol darken the windows. Yet there is a more serious seasonal problem before us, namely the ambiguity of the religious lyric.

"Hulloed by thy name" is easy enough to accept as being a greeting to the Lord: but how do you explain the location of Orientar, where Weethrie Kings come from? Or the identity of Gloria, until now just another girl in my daughter's class? Why is everyone planning to sing a song about her, and why has her surname become Hozannarinexchelsea? And why is the night suddenly holey? No simple answers.

My horrible lawyer friend Parvis Mailland says I am mad to have had three children within five years. Whenever he says things like this, as he does frequently. I am always waiting for some wounding pay-off line, knowing the legal mind to be a subtle gimlet. "Why did you not go the whole hog and have five?" would be a typical coda

Instead, what do I get when I bump into him at the shops but the following: "My wife and I would be delighted to come and have dinner with you on Saturday." Before I can say "But you haven't been invited" (true), or "Sadly we dine that night with the Wellesleys at Le Gavroche (not strictly the case), he says "Ciao!" and casts one of those prurient "poor little chap" looks at the baby in the pram, which his trade does so well.

When I relate all this to my wife she says that she and Mrs Maitland



Since the run-up to Christmas had arranged some such occasion as "useful" and the sexist readiness begins on December 27 each year, I but that the date needed fixing in the last line to ape the healing feel we have done well this time to apparently we owe them a meal (I rather than the martial arts. Finally, delay it by 11 months, but the would gladly let them have their old look at the adjective "happy," so one back), and timing was to be left to the oh-so-in-demand Parvis. Leave a ball in his court and he will prosecute it. Saturday it is.

> Back to mundanities and Observation Number Three about the effects of childhood on new cars. We know that rusk-droppings mulch down nicely from the baby seat into the carpet pile and that the wreckage of a two-bar Kit Kat fits snugly into the cassette deck. What we didn't know is just how effective tin foil can be, when pushed through the heating grill, in short-circuiting the system. I never thought this "spacious family estate blah blah blah" would be so short of bot air.

Problems: My wife and I are overheard talking about opening up the fireplaces and the children take. this to be a way of easing S. Claus's entry. They also overhear me being told to remember that there are people coming on Saturday evening, and I should never have replied: Christ!

At last, an unambiguous Christmas lyric comes home from school; I quote it in full: Good old Father Christmas, what

have you got for me? Take your sack from off your back and let me look and see. Here's a useful painting set, here's a box of toys,

'Here's a nurse and doctor kit for happy girls and boys."
Refreshingly frank. Note how the

playful young things beard the open-handed geriatric with the "good old" tag before moving gently to the mugging stage. See also the acknowledgement of the painting set

look at the adjective "happy," much less abject than "grateful" and more sensitive by far than "affluent". There is hope yet for the carol.

Why are the children so restive today? (Friday)? Why do they have that acquisitive glint in the eye? Why do they wear the expressions of keen young householders before the

Maitland and his luckless wife are at the door. Even if I had again forgotten about his visit, I would know it to be him by the showy sos tenuto on the bell. I suspect he hopes to wake the kids and foment a riot, the better to castigate us for our lax regime, and spout more of his "good sense" about childrearing. (What he construes as restraint and obedience in his own two is in fact nothing more than paralysis through terror).

He strides into the dining room and asks my wife, with the tender inflection of a prosecuting counsel: "It is true that you are still having broken nights, is it not?" At this moment there is the sound of small persons moving on the floorboards overhead. It travels down the stairs, then back along the hall towards u and the two senior siblings swarm in for an audience with Father Christmas, so easily confused with

'Oh Christ" at this time of year. They are each holding one of my old football socks and are clearly

bent on self-service at the toy bag. Seeing Claus in mufti and sootless from head to foot, they are thrown for a moment, but then launch with gusto into the Mugging Carol: "Good old Father Christmas, what have you got for me? ... " For once, Maitland is utterly lost for words. A memorable moment. strained warm milk, whisking

continuously. Return the mixture to the pan and cook it on a

low heat, stirring constantly until the custard thickens a

little. Do not allow it to boil or

# Thoroughly modern pudding

Will the recipe work with margarine? That was the ques-tion numerous readers asked when I substituted butter for the more usual suet in last year's Christmas pudding. Of course there is no reason why it should not But the obvious question then is, why put fat in the pudding at all? So I made a fatless pudding, using whole-meal breadcrumbs too instead. of white ones, and it really was

rather good. How good depends on the strength of your views on what the ideal Christmas pudding should look, smell and taste like. Mine looks dark, full of plump, glistening fruit, and not too solid. It smells very fruity, slightly spicy and discernably alcoholic. And it tastes as rich as it looks because all the ingredients are the best I can find or afford. It is well worth the bother of searching out muscatel raisins and even stoning them by hand if necessary. It pays dividends to grind fresh spices, or at least to check that they are not old and stale. Lots of fresh citrus zest adds a livelier flavour than candied peel, though serious

pudding fanciers may insist on both, and some demand marmalade too.

The point of using breadcrumbs rather than flour is that they make a lighter pudding, and nuts add interest to the texture as well as the flavour. After discovering how cloy-ingly sweet some factory-made

puddings are. I can understand no added sugar becoming a fad outside the health and wholefood world. With all that dried fruit Christmas pudding certainly does not need much extra sugar, but a little does seem improve the pudding-bit that holds the fruit together.

To make a fattess pudding, omit the butter and add 120ml (4 fl oz) medium sherry or port. Christmas puciding

Serves eight to ten 170g (6oz) currants 170g (6oz) raisins, preferably

110g (4oz) sultanas 55g (2oz) roughly chopped nuts, almonds, hazels or walnuts

55g (2oz) soft brown sugar

1 tablespoon each finely grated orange and lemon zest 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon 1/2 teaspoon freshly grated nutmeg

1/4 teaspoon ground cloves 110g (402) butter, metted 6 tablespoons whisky or brandy 4 tablespoons mak

2 large eggs

Put all the dry ingredients the fruit, crumbs, nuts, sugar zest and spices into a large bowl and mix well to distribute them evenly. Combine the melted butter, spirits, milk and eggs in another bowl and whisk them lightly together. Pour the mixture over the dry ingredi-ents and mix very well indeed. Generously oil or butter one large or two smaller pudding

basins and turn the mixture into them, leaving room for the pudding to rise a little. Cover the bowls with buttered greaseproof paper and foil and tie it on very tightly with string. It is very important not to allow water to get into the puddings

Stand each basin in a extra whisky or brandy can be saucepan and pour in boiling added to the pudding before hint of flour.

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Shona Crawford Poole

its sides. Bring back to the boil, reduce the heat to a gently bubbling simmer, cover the pans and steam the puddings for six hours, regardless of their size. (If you double the quantitles to make one enormous pudding, six hours is still sufficient.) Add more boiling water from time to time to maintain the level

Allow the puddings to cool, then remove the papers and replace them with fresh papers, not buttered this time. A little

steaming it for a second time on Christmas Day. Two hours steaming will make the pudding darker still, but the flavour may deteriorate rather than improve.

To serve Christmas pudding turn it on to a heated serving plate and pour over it about two tablespoons of warm brandy. Light the alcohol with a match and take it to table with blue flames licking over it. (Burning holly smells like a bonfire - a nice smell but not at the table.) Sauces for the pudding are a

subject on which people seem to have very strong views. I think brandy butter with lots of orange zest is bliss but not everyone agrees. Plain cream, whipped or runny, has its advocates, but home-made Christmas pudding can take something sweeter.

It might be a traditional English plum pudding sauce which in Scotland is, or was, called a caudle sauce. It might be a German custard sauce of the kind Queen Victoria's chef Francatelli made, and which was more like a frothy zabaglione than like a custard as we know it. And of course it might be a real vanilla custard made with egg yolks and milk and not a Serves eight to ten 250ml (8 fl oz) medium or sweet

Freshly grated nutmeg

250ml (8 fl oz) brandy 1 tablespoon finely grated lemon 2 tablespoons caster sugar 225g (8 oz) butter, melted

Put the sherry and brandy in sugar and heat them gently together. Stir in the melter butter. Sprinkle the sauce with grated nutmeg and stir it well just before serving.

Francatell's pudding sauce Serves four 4 egg yolks

55g (2 oz) caster sugar 8 tablescoons sweet sherry 1 teaspoon finely grated orange

A pinch of salt

Combine all the ingredient in a bain marie or bowl. Cook over gly simmering water, whisking constantly until sauce increases in volume and be-comes light and frothy. Serve immediately.

Serves eight to ten

750ml (11/4 pints) milk 10cm (4 inch) piece vanilla pod, or 1-2 teaspoons vanilla essence 6 egg yolks 285g (10 oz) caster sugar

A pinch of salt Put the milk in a heavy based pan with the vanilla pod slit lengthwise. Heat the milk

almost to boiling point, then remove it from the heat and set it aside for 20 minutes. Beat together the egg yolks, sugar and salt until the mixture is very pale and the whisk leaves a trail. Slowly add the



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### Credit where it's due

"After becoming one of the publishing sensations of the decade. The Far Pavilions has been made into a spectacular feature film." So runs a Goldcrest advertisement in a recent issue of Screen International, the film-makers' house journal. You would think from reading the advertisement that credit for the film of M M Kaye's novel belonged entirely to Golderest, the company behind Gandhi, Chariots of Fire and Local Hero. No so: the film rights were bought by an independent producer, Geoffrey Reeve, who vested £150,000 in the project and took all the initial risks, before Goldcrest became involved, agreeing that advertisements for the film would proclaim it to be "A Geoffrey Reeve Production for Goldcrest". Goldcrest has now apologized to Reeve and promised to rectify the matter in future promotions for the

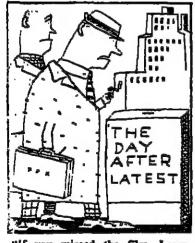
### Tied results

A mutual admiration society has blossomed between Sir Gcoffrey Howe and the Conservative MP for Ealing North, Harry Greenway, in Foreign Secretary was seen admiring Greenway's latest creation – a royal blue tie with a gold horse motif designed for the London Schools Horse Society, which Greenway founded in 1964. Greenway then complimented Howe on his own darker blue number, decorated with small red models of London Bridge and the initials CFMM. The tie was designed by Howe when he was Chancellor for the 1982 Common-wealth Finance Ministers' Meeting in London, and ran into an edition of 100. As top tiemen, both Howe and Greenway are trailing a long way behind Roy Mason, Labour MP for Barnsley Central, who takes tie designing seriously enough to have his own label. During his stint at the Ministry of Defence, he created a wonderful tie which incorporated anchors, wings and crossed swords. The tic was so popular that 12,000 of them were manufactured.

### 'X' factor

A Christmas parcel which included ome video films was brought to the Foreign and Commonwealth Office to he sent by diplomatic hag to a relative attached to the British Residence in Addis Ababa. The donor was anxious that screening shouldn't destroy the videotapes But he was told by the person at the desk: "Parcels only go through the X-ray machine if there's a VIP on

BARRY FANTONI



'If you missed the film, Larry, there's always the live show

### Egged on

Sir John Biggs-Davison, the Tory MP for Epping Forest, is familiar with the slings and arrows of protest endured by Michael Heseltine at Manchester University last Wednescay. He says: "At most universities and colleges I have been shouled own, pelted and forced out of halls duly booked by Tory students," Sir ohn's most daunting experience was at Essex University "where vandalism and graffiti recalled the Bogside". But it was neither the egg and tomato missiles nor the mob that howled outside that incensed Sir John so much as the student union not even offering to pick up his dry-cleaning tab.

### Negotiating talks?

Attempts to settle the dispute which threatens the bumper Christmas "londay night when print union wader Bill Keys was unable to talk to Robert Maxwell, Maxwell, the millionaire publisher who prints the magazine, had lost his voice and Keys could not understand what he was saying over the telephone. Nedication was taken overnight, and a crosky Maxwell re-entered the fray yesterday.

### Rebounder

The citizens of Rugby voted "Flashman" the most popular choice in a competition to find a name for a new pub being opened by Wolverhampton and Dudley Brewcries. But the famous bounder will not be honoured since Rugby itradmaster Mr Brian Rees does not approve of the choice. Mr Roger lunt, the brewery's estate director, aid: "Mr Rees did not think it was terribly appropriate. We understand the licensing justices were not too happy with the name either and we didn't want to open our first pub in Rugby by upsetting the school and the magistrates." When the pub opens next month, it will be named after a more reputable old boy of the school - William Webb Ellis - the boy who created rugby football by picking up a football and running forward with it.

PHS premises, it is little wonder that the

Twenty years on, a look at an important attempt to curb the motorist

# Still fleeing the beloved monster

If you know where to look on the outside walls of Church House. Westminster, you may find cunningly concealed emblems and portraits in the flint work. The portraits are said to be of persons involved in the construction. In the pages of the Traffic in Towns report, published by HMSO in November 1963, there may be found, at any rate by us who wrote it, reminders of jokes and legpulls, and some remarks intended to

Some of the last succeeded, others Some of the last succeeded, others bring but a wry smile as we thumb through the report 20 years later. But there was one calculated longshot which found its mark. Up to the time of Traffic in Towns it had been received doctrine among engineers that if a bypass were to succeed in its purpose of relieving an area of unwanted vehicles it had to area of unwanted vehicles it had to be "attractive to traffic", that is, it should not be a long, circuitous diversion but should run as closely parallel to the old road as possible. Otherwise it would not be used. But. we argued, if you made the old road positively unattractive to traffic by means of a barrier, or a pinch-point, or a toll, traffic would have to use the bypass and there would be no need to align the bypass on the shortest route.

Sceking an example, we hit on the notorious controversy at Oxford over plans to relieve The High from the heavy traffic so damaging to the character of this famous street. Numerous schemes had been considered over the years including one - surely the ultimate in terms of attraction to traffic - which followed the line of the Broad Walk south of

Merton and Christ church. At the time we were writing Traffic in Towns, however, the city council had decided in favour of a slightly circuitous route through Christchurch Meadow. We were dismayed at the damage this would do the survival of rus in urbe, where cows still graze almost in the heart of the city.

So we decided to insert a veiled paragraph which, though not openly critical of the council, for that would have been improper in an official report, would be read by the university authorities and give them new heart to challenge the scheme when it came before public inquiry. This is just what happened. I would not claim for a moment

that the rejection of the Meadow Road by the minister (Richard Crossman), after the inquiry, was solely the result of the application Traffic in Towns doctrine as expounded in my own evidence to the interestor. But the result of the interestor is a second of the interestor. the inspector. But the new way of looking at traffic problems - the refusal to accept that the free-flow of itatiic by the shortest foute was al important, the insistence that regard be paid to the adverse effects of roads and traffic upon the surroundings - all this, I daresay, influenced the outcome.

Why then, after all the effort, is there still a torrent of traffic in The High? It is not as bad as it might be. for Oxford has taken a number of steps which would do credit to our report - the complete ring road, the ban on heavy vehicles, the park-and-ride system, the closure of Cornmarket and Queen Street to all but buses and taxis, tight control of parking location and charges - but the fact remains that traffic in The High is considerable, as it is of course in far more damaging amounts in many a high street throughout the land.

Why? It is too easy to say that there have not been the resources to enable sufficient road works to be undertaken. The question is more difficult because it poses a dilemma which Traffic in Towns sought to resolve but without, I would say, much success in convincing the

For several days in provincial

Poland, the queues have been not

just for meat, butter and bread but

also for miracles, dispensed in three-

second bursts by a mysterious British faith-healer.

To portray the scene of gathered hopefuls would tax even the powers

stoically silent, the children whim-

pering, the fevered on stretchers, all

At 6am, the sky still streaked with

purple, Clive Harris, - a small ordinary-looking man in his early

forties, mounts the altar of a church

and summons up the infirm. On an

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It seems to be generally agreed that Traffic in Towns set people thinking in new directions. Its main contribution undoubtedly was to identify the adverse effects of motor traffic - death and injury in accidents, noise and visual pollution - and to weld them together and present them as a major social problem of our time. We were high-minded to a degree about "the environment" as we called it, taking the term out of its older ecological context and applying it to human

We really thought everyone would agree and that there would be rapid progress along the lines we sketched out for the amelioration of the worst effects of motor traffic. At the same time, no one could have accused us of neglecting the motor vehicle's role in cities. Perhaps that is why the report seemed to have immediate appeal to conservation lobbies as well as to motor transport organiza-

well, there is nothing wrong in being high-minded, but I think we misjudged the quirky, contrary way the public was to respond to our environmental oleadings. It obvious, for example, that the motor-car-using public (half the population, at least) is by no means as steamed-up about the environment as we think they ought to be. Indeed, they seem perfectly ready to trade off their environment against the freedom to use cars.

Easy use of a car is, to them, part of a good environment. They park their cars on pavements, all over grass verges, in their front gardens along with boats and caravans and they care not a fig about the view from the front room. They are for ever nosing around for the slightest et-up in the parking regulations. They do not care much about the regulations, anyhow: they push in wherever they can, take chances that they won't be caught, and if they are caught, they probably don't pay the fine or someone else pays it for them. Given half a chance they would park in the cathedrals.

They do not even seem to mind about heavy traffic past their houses - there are sections of the North would consider intolerable, yet the houses are spick and span and apparently change hands at good

As for the commercial road transport operators, I see not the slightest sign that they and their buccaneer drivers care two hoots about the environment. Small groups of people here and there make their protests but they carry no weight: the lorries just get heavier However, and this is where the

contrariness comes in, it is one thing for people to remain more or less fferent to the effects of traffic as they are familiar with them, but if they scent a change in the wind, they rise in fury. All hell breaks out at the merest rumour that a new road - an urgently needed bypass, perhaps - is to be built near established houses. Yet, paradoxically, if the new road was there first and the houses were built later, they would sell like hot cakes. People may live happily along the North Circular, and local people will boil over with anger.

Dislike, even fear of change, is at the root of this contrariness, and this showed how areas of towns (we called them "environmental areas") could be protected from traffic having no business in the area, but this does involve re-directing the unwanted traffic along selected routes which would form a loose

We likened the principle to the system of rooms and corridors upon which large buildings are designed. In our discussions, we used the Temple in London as an example of the principle in practice, but we did not foresee that in 20 years the lawyers (ever ready to cite Traffic in Town in planning appeals) would have swamped the unfortunate precinct with their own cars.

The evironmental area principle, sound enough in theory, had proved difficult to apply in practice. The diversion of traffic means more traffic on the roads selected for the network, and this produces its own outcry with the very environmental arguments of our report adduced in support. If a new road is required to

complete a link of the network, the

Petworth, a charming little town in Sussex, desperately needs a bypass. But every route that is proposed meets furious apposition on environment grounds. Nothing gets done.

Money comes into it, of course, Urban road works are hideously expensive. In London, for example, property values being what they are, i should doubt whether there is now the slightest chance of reviving the road proposals of the Greater London Development Plan as modified by Layfield but rashly abandoned by the GLC. Yet money is not the main stumbling block. At the root of it is our love - hate relationship with that likeable rogue, the motor vehicle. Traffic in Towns was dead accurate in predicting that nothing was going to check the appeal of the motor vehicle. We are bewitched by the rogue's company. As Geoffrey Crowther wrote in his introduction: "We are nourishing at immense cost a monster of great potential destructiveness. And yet we love him dearty".

We who wrote the document and tamed, but he, artful rogue that he is, plays on emotions in such diverse ways that no one knows from one day to the next whether to love him or hate him or what to do about him. Did we perhaps in Traffic in Towns overstate the case. painting too lurid a picture of the monster's rampages? It is a matter for judgment, to which end I commend you, reader, to take a map, pick out a dozen towns with a pin, visit them, and see if you do not find, despite newly created oases of peace and quiet here and there, that the general picture is one of infestation by motor traffic to the point that you conclude it was no great fault after all to have been high-minded about the environ-

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# The Englishman with Poland in the palm of his hand

of Goya. Grasping small paper chits marked simply "heart" or "throat", the lame, ill-shapen and elderly, tations. A country GP reckons to have at best nine minutes for each wait for the moment that may examination, during which the patient has to strip, be examined and diagnosed and get dressed again. The second factor is that country priests, especially the younger generation, are more sophisticated than in the past - men with elaborate political opinions (usually average day he will touch perhaps 8,000 people. Some of them will claim to have been cured, and others with Solidarity sympathies), who read the newspapers and think about economics and what is wrong with the country. In their daily dealings in the parish they are concerned in faith-healing, personal astrol-ogers, and mystics in this socialist with power - persuading the village schoolteacher or a local farmer to Catholic country. It is no longer sufficient to divide the nation into make premises available for religious teaching, or touting for contributions to special welfare funds - rather than with the eternal mysteries. put their trust wholly in the divine

Into this gap the faith-healer has jumped. In Gdynia, one faith-healer actually seems to cultivate a witchlike appearance. In Warsaw, Pawel Polonecki, a former boxer, holds Saturday-morning clinics. The most famous home-grown healer, Stanislaw Nardelli, draws crowds of more than 2,000 with rites which include instructing all the patients to join hands and form circles.

But the most popular healer in the country remains Clive Harris. For years he has left his Wembley home twice a year, in April and November, to tour at least

townships. The organizers of his tours were originally the scions of the Polish aristocracy - the Czarto-ryskis and the Radziwills - a fact that has given fuel to the Marxist critics of Harris who mutter darkly of the counter-revolutionary liaison between the private peasantry and the former nobility. The conspiracy is fed further by the fact that Harris normally performs in churches. which are put at his disposal by sympathetic priests.

But illness and its attendant fears transcend ideology. The political establishment, per-

haps mindful of the fact that Leonid Brezhnev himself, sought out a faith-heather during his painful last year, has actually sought Harris's services. It was not unusual when he stepped up his activity from Cracow and the fashionable ski resort of Zakopane, for local party officials to be among the first in the queue. A number of parliamentary deputies have been treated, at least one with amparent success.

In any case, Harris goes to extraordinary lengths to avoid anything that could be construed as political activity and he gives no interviews. News of his arrival is spread by word of mouth and for days his presence ousts any other

must be presented to Harris springs

subject of conversation in a town. A black market in the chits that

up days before his arrival. Patients have to secure a document from their doctor certifying the existence of an illness. This document is then sent to the Harris tour organizers who select the several tens of thousands to be treated.

One reason Harris is trusted more than other healers is that he does not appear to be making any money from the tour. While many of the Polish healers have managed to obtain fast cars, Harris comes with a simple suitcase, stays at private homes, and performs in a simple open-necked shirt. How he lives when he leaves Poland nobody knows, and most people prefer to stay in ignorance. Some priests and doctors as well

the hardline Marxists remain pre-dictably sceptical. The usual discussion about what is or what is not a cure, what is attributable to suggestion or crowd hysteria has been held in medical circles. But a large number of young, intelligent people who have watched him at close hand are convinced that Harris is transmitting some form of positive energy to people.

"Some kind of psychosomatic explanation might be feasible in some cases," says one, "but how does one explain the curing of a twoyear-old child, completely unaware of what is supposed to be happen ing? These things happen too often for it to be come kind of statistical

Wherever the truth lies, the number of Poles who believe in the value of Harris and his healing now exceeds even the several hundred thousand who have been treated by him. Harris, though he may not like it, is the best-known Englishman in Poland.

Roger Boyes | certain schools.

Jock Bruce-Gardyne

# Taken for a ride in the wonder car

to spare and an interest in the way in which the taxpayer and his money are easily parted, they could do worse than pop along to Committee Room 16 at the House of Commons. this afternoon for the second session of the Public Accounts Committee's inquest into the de Lorean affair.

At this point I had better "declare an interest" - in the most literal sense. For I took an interest in the de Lorean affair from its inception. Quite simply, I tried to get it stopped. Needless to say I failed. For in these matters, as Madame du Deffand used to say, "il n'y a que le premier pas qui coute" once Mr Roy Mason and his Northern Ireland Office had decided in the summer of 1978 to put the taxpayers behind Mr de Lorean and his wonder-car to the tune of £61m, we were in it, hook,

line and sinker, to the bitter end.
So I found the PAC's first hearing,
on Monday afternoon, of peculiar poignancy. For the committee got straight down to the business of seeking to establish how the Northern Ireland Office came to make that initial investment. It had before it Mr Ken Bloomfield, now head of the Northern Ireland Economic Development Department, and formerly head of the Ulster Department of Commerce. And he told it all - with conviction, and convincingly.

it was true, explained Mr Bloomfield, that McKinsey (the department's own consultants) had taken a rather bearish view. But the de Lorean scheme had already been evaluated by two other eminently respectable American committancies, which had pronounced it a potential winner, and murmured (presumably as they took their fees) that anyone was at liberty to quote them in its support. Mc Kinsey, in short, took "the most downbeat view... taken by anybody at the time".

It was also true that the Southern

Irish had decided to withdraw. But Belfast did not know the reason -there had been talk of worries about bad industrial relations in Limerick, where the Dublin government wanted de Lorean to go. And since Dublin and Belfast had appeared to be in competition for this appetizing. prize. Belfast had not liked to ask. Besides, time pressed

Indeed: here was the key to the whole affair. Mr de Lorean had not

just been in touch with Dublin. He had also been talking to Detroit and Puerto Rico. Detroit had made a bid of \$50m. Puerto Rico had upped this to more than \$60m. Worse still Ireland Comptroller and Auditor General to the committee reveals ( think for the first time), the Weish Development Agency had just joined the hunt. What the Scottish Development Agency was about I; can't imagine: it must have been; asleep. Mr de Lorean had made it. clear he wouldn't even drop by

Belfast unless they showed "the colour of their money" first. You bet

he did: he knew a seller's market

It all rings true, doesn't it? Belfast: had had a wretched year for plant's closures and lost investment. Here i was this friendly Midwestern gentle-; man offering to give imployment to 2,000 Ulstermen - and notjust eny Ulstermen, but Catholic Ulstermen. to match the jobs provided for the Orange Lodges down the road at Harland and Wolff. Unless the Northern Ireland Office came up quick with cash (and since it was a timelancholy, fact?" that bribes to potential investors in Ulster had to t be the dearest going, more cash than anyone else), he'd be snatched up by those wily Puerto Ricans.

I was sorry Parliament decided to confide this post mortem to the PAC, and I still am. For the PACs: job is to investigate how cash is spent: it is not in the business of cross-questioning ministers about their decisions to commit it in the first place; nor is it concerned with how ministers have handled all-empts by Parliament to find out

what is going on.
It is therefore unlikely that the
Labour ministers, Messus Mason
and Concannon (and the contemporary keeper of the purse-strings. Lord Barnett) or their Tory successors, Messrs Atkins, Shaw and Butler, will take the stand. Yet these are matters with which Parliament

surely ought to be concerned.
Still, Mr Bloomfield has undoubtedly put his finger on how you go about it if you want to take the hapless British taxpayers for a momumental ride. You drum up bids from the four quarters of the globe; pull in the regional development agencies from the home front; and then you have a ball.

### Phillip Whitehead

# An all-out war for the all-in school

London we see a hundred small betrayals of state education. The radical chic with whom we have denounced Thatcher over many a cassoulet are sheepishly bundling their offspring into the Volvo, and away through space and time into the private sector. It's not for me, you know, it's for my daughter, they

the counter-revolution. Every turn of the screw in the state sector, every appearance on television of the lubricious Nigel Lawson threatening further cuts, persuades them to cut and run.

tell you, these unlikely Cossacks of

As a parent of three children at state schools my first response, thinking of these braided desectors and the kids they have left behind, is anger. When my children feel puzzled and betrayed, and their school's ability mix slips further away from the truly comprehensive, outrage is natural. But anger is not enough. When even people who would agree that the rationing of education by price is indefensible on moral grounds nevertheless opt out of the state system for perceived short-term self-interest, we have to ask why.

The comprehensive schools are caught in an impossible vice. As the Government's clamp on higher education tightens, so the middle-class parental nightmare increases. The percentage points at A level needed for university entry is being ratcheted up, year by year. These examinations, which already cast a shadow early in the comprehensive curriculum, loom ever more important, although they are designed to test only a small number of those at school. And the state schools are under-resourced. Their outstanding success, in that sector of their work, in increasing the overall number of examination successes, is forgotten. The unseemly queue to register babies at birth, or to switch children later for a system which guarantees a force-fed elite education, grows

Until now it has been the private sector. left untouched by successive Labour governments in their unwisdom, which has been the beneficiary of the attack on comprehensive education. The 175 remaining grammar schools in England were scattered, shrinking, and often suffered in the falling share of real resources. Now, however, a new opponent of the comprehensives has entered the lists. Mr Robert Dunn, a hitherto obscure junior minister at the Department of Education and Science, has been calling on local education authorities to consider reintroducing a selective system. In the war against the comprehensives, Second Front Now is his slogan. Thus far Mr Dunn's strike rate is

not impressive. Urged on by his guru from the Department, Stuart Sexton, Solihull education authority proudly introduced a scheme for the reintroduction of IQ-based selection at 11, after nine years of a fully comprehensive system. It was a system which had achieved notable successes even in the comparatively narrow field of A level results. subject to the differential that comes in any neighbourhood system which enables the well-off to cluster round

Parential rumbling, when one such school had its catchment area redrawn because of falling rolls. seems to have prompted the Solons Solibuli to introduce their selective scheme. The chairman of the education committee was re-ported as saying that the creaming-off of 10 to 15 per cent of the ability sive system more or less un-

Conservative councillors in Solihull are clearly not streamed for ability, and their scheme has aroused ridicule and anger from teachers and parents alike. Next time, the comprehensive may not be so incky.

Messrs Dunn and Sexton will also be heartened by the Gallinp Poli last week which indicated that 61 per cent of those interviewed believe that selective schools are better able to draw out a child's exam potential. The poll, like the television discussion which followed, was muddled, and did not spell out the consequences of selction at 11-plus. But it strikes a warning note for the defenders of the comprehensive. They will need to mount a vigorous counter-attack

But the comprehensives have to fight on two fronts at a time of falling rolls. They have to reform the curriculum to provide more for those pupils unsuited to tightly structured examinations, yet simultaneously prove that they can out-perform selective schools, in the face persistent devigration from the

likes of Robert Dunn.
Paradoxically, their moment of maximum danger is also their moment of maximum opportunity. What Solihull showed is that there is an alliance in the making between teachers and parents wherever comprehensives are threatened by the reintroduction of selection. Even if they are forced to become unpaid tax collectors for Sir Keith Joseph. many parents do respond to the cuts by raising school funds themselves. hough that may simply increase the differential between the comprehensives in the plush suburb and the

The real test for the Opposition is to mobilize the public concern about privatization in the campaign for the widest and best choice within the comprehensive system. That involves a commitment in detail to the priorities for funding which we tend not to hear four years from an election. If some people are entitled to

access to the best on offer, why not all? How can this access be justified by the chequebook and the covenant, as it is now? A private sector designed to make the world safe for the Sloane Ranger looks less alluring on close inspection. But every inducement, direct and indirect, is put in its way by the present

Until those prep school boys, the internal emigres of out street, have been disgorged from their Volvos back into my children's school I cannot see the battle for those schools won. Their parents agree. They tell me they are abolitionists too. In principle, of course, you understand.

The author was a Labour education spokesman between 1981 and 1983.

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# A FRONT LINE VOTE FOR CRUISE

West Germany has emitted two important signals over the past few days. First the Social Democrats formally repudiated the deployment of Pershing II and cruise missiles, thereby turning against their own former Chancellor and their own policies while in government as wellas opening a crack in the bipartisan consensus on security policy which has held for more than twenty years. Then yesterday the Bundestag with a Christian Democratic majority, formally endorsed the deployment of the new missiles.

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These two signals are only superficially contradictory. What they show is a country more divided and doubtful than it has been for some time yet still fundamentally loyal to the Western alliance. Even the Social Democrats have not repudiated Nato or adopted the neutralism of the fringe. They have said two things: that they do not believe these particular weapons enhance their security and that they do not feel the Americans have made sufficient effort to negotiatean agreement at Geneva.

Yet it would be foolish to pretend that they are not giving voice to broader doubts which reflect a change in the mood of the country. West Germany is in the very difficult position of being a major power in the front line of Western defence which is wholly dependent on a foreign power for its nuclear security. This was relatively easy to cope with as long as the United States enjoyed overwhelming nuclear superiority because the risk of challenge was low. With the rise

emerged: that the United States might not risk its own annihilation in defence of Europe, or, alternatively, that it might try to confine a conflict to European territory. Placing new missiles in Europe was supposed to allay the first type of doubt but has at the same time exacerbated the

A number of factors have contributed to this. One is certainly the loss of confidence in American leadership, especially among the young, over the past decade or so. The West Germans have remained true to the policies of the mid 1960s, coordinated before Soviet behaviour in Czechoslovakia, Poland and Afghanistan, keeping contacts with the East in the hope of reducing tensions and maintaining openings to the people of East Germany. The deterioration in relations between the super powers has reduced allied sup-port for the diplomatic track of West German policy while increasing fears that West Germany could become the helpless victim of a confrontation either in Europe or, more probably, in

some other part of the world. Fusing with these comparatively rational fears has been a modest but significant rise in support for the "Greens", who bring together a wide range of ecologists, idealists, romantics, pacifists and nationalists of left and right in general protest against so many aspects of modern life and the German situation that they are hard to disentangle. Many of the Social Democrats who voted against the missiles last week were to adjust to this new reality is

could be a perilous exercise but not necessarily wrong if the road leads back again towards the centre before the next election.

There is a reasonable chance that it will. Opinion polls show very considerable steadiness in West German opinion, and no surge of support for neutralism. When asked to choose between close relations with the United States and close relations with the Soviet Union only a tiny percentage choose the Soviet Union. However, when asked whether West Germany should seek good relations with both super powers or more with the United States the vote splits. more evenly, reflecting not neutralism but a desire to avoid conflict.

The events of the past week

should therefore be seen as both a reassurance and a warning. There is reassurance in the fact that a democratically elected German government is managing to carry through the policies of the alliance. There is a warning in the divisive effects that this has had on the country in general and the Social Democrats in particular. There are two main lessons to draw from the warning. One is that the central consensus in West German politics will not hold unless it is part of a Nato consensus on East-West relations. The other is that West Germany's growing self-confidence and distance from the Nazi period are increasingly difficult to reconcile with the present structure of Nato and in particular its reliance on American nuclear weapons. How of the Soviet Union to rough hoping by doing so to scoop up a one of the most pressing tasks parity two types of doubt proportion of the Greens. This before the Alliance.

### LORDS AND LANDLORDS

The Agricultural Holdings Bill, which has just begun its committee stage in the House of Lords, was introduced by the minister as a Bill "to arrest the decline in the tenanted sector of agriculture". The ambition far exceeds the modesty of the than upwards, and thus a

The Bill puts into legislative form a compact reached between the National Farmers Union and the Country Landowners Association. The union agreed to let go the three-generation statutory tenancy which it had been keen on at the time of its introduction seven years ago. The association agreed to a new formula for arbitration at rent reviews for sitting tenants, which moves away from open market letting value (there no longer being anything answering that description) and towards the value of the productive capacity of the holding.

The introduction of the right of succession to tenancies in 1976 has not significantly altered the rate of decline in the number of rented holdings (about 3,000 a year). Perhaps the number of new lettings lost by the measure was roughly balanced by the number of unwillingly extended tenancies over land that would otherwise have been taken in hand. But there are strong a priori grounds and much anecdotal evidence for believing that the succession right would have accelerated the decline of the landlord and tenant system in (it might not be sufficient) to the longer term. So its abolition make fundamental changes in for new tenancies, as provided in the tax position of private

the Bill, is a positive factor landowners. It would mean towards willingness to let.

Experts disagree about the probable effect on rents of the proposed new formula for arbitration. If it has any effect it is more likely to be downwards exception. negative factor against willingness to let.

All in all the Bill can hardly be expected to make much im-Northfield committee (1979) reckoned that the rented sector would decline over the next 40 years from 35-40 per cent of all farm land to 20-25 per cent. And of the course the number of holdings within the total acreage dwindles even faster as profit dictates amalgamation of the smaller units.

The decline of the landlord and tenant system of farm occupancy is regretted; rightly so, for it has served British agriculture well for most of its recorded history. It promotes an efficient division between and within two inputs, capital and managerial skill in husbandry. It has contributed to the social solidity of rural England. It has, less now than once, extended a means of entry into farming for capability allied to only moder-

ate resources. It is plain that to restore that form of tenure to anything like its former state, even to keep it where it is, it would be necessary

treating that form of rent and that form of capital much more favourably than other forms. It would not be easy to make a case in public benefit for so large an

Still, there is more to be done than this Bill does to retard the erosion of rented tenure and help to put in place an alternative "farming ladder" for non-heredipression on a declining trend tary talent infough management, that has been pronounced since share-farming and partnerships the end of the First World War. leading on in some cases to tenancies. There is room for the restricted reintroduction of term tenancies and for a retirement scheme that would pave the way for tenancies to be terminable at the age of 65. And the Government should have a much more positive policy towards statutory smallholdings. The financial squeeze on county councils tempts them to sell on vacancy, limiting still further the opportunities for beneficial occupation of agricultural land in a small

> Ministers have so far shown no enthusiasm for building on their Bill or doing anything that might disturb the limited NFU-CLA concordat. That agreement, they say, is the best insurance against repeal by a future Labour government. But interest groups can change their mind, as the NFU already has in this matter, and the legislature, however it may respect views of interest groups, is not, should not be, bound by them. There is much work to be done on the Bill of a kind the House of Lords is peculiarly fitted to do.

### STILL A CULTURAL COMMITMENT

The English and Welsh now a lightness of touch; a willingness add, equally blandly, that there is have such a cultural commitment to home ownership, that, perhaps inevitably, renting in both public and private sectors should be considered a residual tenure. For council housing that is the conclusion to be drawn from the budgetary provisions announced in aggregate last week and to be notified to local authorities in detail tomorrow. Capital spending by councils and housing associations has become a fiscal residual to be whittled away as a departmental offering to the Treasury to counteract the global "excess" of council spending. The state's assistance with housing costs to the poor and those on low incomes was the one part of the welfare programme to be singled out for specific reductions: fairness and consistency are jettisoned as guiding principles.

There is, to be sure, a strong case for abandoning the preoccupations of the post-war interparty consensus on housing. It increases in the public housing stock with scant regard for either economic balance or tenants? interest. The role of local authorities in housing in the 1980s should be characterized by development?). His colleagues council tenants.

to become "entrepreneurial," intervening in the market to buy. re-furbish and sell, to provide for such groups as the elderly and handicapped for whom the private market has little to offer. But it would be wrong to extend this conception and write off public sector tenants who have not exercised their right to buy as an encumbrance.

It would be short-sighted, too. if policy were based on the present gross surplus of dwellings over households continuing unchanged into the future. The growth of single-person and single-parent households is rapid. In itself this is no recipe for large-scale construction, but it does point to increased demand (monetary or expressed in council waiting lists) later in the decade - demand which can only be accommodated by a shake-out of the housing stock.

Yet the figures presented for

enough money in the kitty to provide home improvement grants for private owners when the rate of deterioration in our ageing housing stock will acceler-

The fact is that during the past twelve months housing policy has exhibited a volatility that makes sensible planning of building and grant-giving impossible. Capital outlays for next year are to be reduced although the windfall gains of capital receipts from the right to buy programme provide a soft cushion. Twelve months are the Treasury appeared - in its own ten year forward look at spending - to have accepted the hard evidence from the English House Conditions Survey of the need for a minimum and consistent level of public investment in the housing stock; already the consistency has gone.

What is difficult to justify is 1984-85 show the government squeezing public sector tenants extraordinarily complacent on at the very moment when the extolled scale, and heaped praise this very account. Mr Jenkin fruits of the government's enon ministers delivering huge says blandly that the private hancement of mortgage tax relief sector will provide the bulk of are being enjoyed by owner "new starts" (but has he fully occupiers in the higher income worked out the town and and property bands. The statisticountry planning consequences cal dominance of mortgage-payof this free rein for private ers is no reason for injustice to

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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vent, its deficit at March 31, 1983, of £221 m is now reduced to £59m as a

result of profits earned after

all charges in the half-year to September 30, 1983.

Now, after Parliament has so

others have referred.

other serious crimes.

4 Reynolds Close, NWII.

Yours faithfully.

Yours faithfully

British Airways,

Heathrow Airport,

PO Box 10.

Hounslow, Middlesex

November 18.

GORDON DUNLOP.

Chief Financial Officer,

SUSANNE DELL

Yet it surely is the total return

investment projects.

no chance at all.

whom it accrues.

WILLIAM BUITER,

Political Science, Houghton Street, WC2.

Yours sincerely,

From Professor W. H. Buiter

Sir, Your excellent reporting (November 16) of the joint seminar by The Times and Coopers and Lybrand on public sector invest-ment stands in sad contrast to your very uninformed editorial on the

You state: "The high level of unemployment and unused in-dustrial capacity suggests that the Government might be wise to increase public sector investment in the next few years, even at the expense of its commitment to sound financial policies." Thus the false dilemma is posed.

It should be clear, even to your editorial writer, that if there is indeed a "high level of unemploy-ment and unused industrial capacity', then a fiscal expansion can, given the proper mix of monetary financing and borrowing, be financed without creating in-flationary pressures and without 'crowding out" of private spending.

Absent real resource scarcity, "crowding out", is simply evidence of financial mismanagement. This argument holds true for any kind of fiscal expansion, whether in the form of tax cuts, higher public sector consumption or increased public sector capital formation.

in a fully employed economy "crowding out" is complete in the short run, regardless of the financing mix chosen. The longer-run development of the economic system is dependent on the mix of money, bond and tax financing actually chosen.

This complete short run "crowding out" says nothing about the desirability, or lack of it, of increased public sector investment, which depends on its anticipated future rate of return, the uncertainty surrounding it and its opportunity cost in terms of private investment or consumption forgone.

A selective increase in public sector investment would, in the view of many, be called for even if the British economy were at full employment. The reason is not, as your editorial suggests rather vacuously, that "public sector investment is a good thing". Aspirin

Sir, David Nicholson-Lord is right

The Nilsen case

From Mrs Susanne Dell

### tory sentence the judge considers mitigating circumstances after conviction and before sentencing. If medical information is presented at this stage it will not consist of

to say (feature, November 5) that the law has come out of the Nilsen case philosophical argument, but will "looking a bit of a clodhopper." For focus on issues germane to the that is exactly what the law on diminished responsibility is. The sentencing process, including the practicability or otherwise of a hospital order being made. defence was developed as a device The Homicide Act precludes this for circumventing the difficulties that flow from a mandatory penalty approach in murder cases. The for murder. That penalty means that psychiatric evidence cannot be presented in the ordinary way after conviction; for it to be considered at judges who sentence sane murderers are unable to take even the most all, the defence has to show that the powerful mitigating circumstances case falls within the Act's dimin-(such as severe mental illness) into

The 1957 Act therefore introthe problem: two special defences to murder, provocation and abnormality of mind. These two circumstances are of course common factors in all sorts of crimes but, because of the mandatory penalty, the courts cannot take them into account in the sentencing of murder cases. So the 1957 Act elevated these two factors to a special status in murder proceedings, a status that changes one crime - murder - into another one - manslaughter. Manslaughter, of course, carries no

mandatory penalty. in offences that have no manda-

### Airline competition From Mr Gordon Dunlop

Sir, In Sir Adam Thomson's letter (November 17) he asserts that British Airways has benefited from a Treasury subsidy of £251m against currency fluctuations on dollar borrowings. It is not stated how this amount of £251m is calculated, but it is presumably a reference to the arrangements under which the Treasury provides cover against exchange rate fluctuations on foreign currency borrowings, which the Treasury approved British Airways

These arrangements equally applied to similar foreign currency borrowings by other nationalised industries. The Treasury provide this exchange risk cover in connection with their management of foreign currency reserves. So far as British Airways is concerned and the borrowings are in effect sterling

### The wit of Keynes From Sit Frederic Harmer

entering into in the past.

Sir, Your recent review of the first volume of Robert Skidelsky's biography of Keynes (November 10)

invites comment at several points, one of which I should like to pursue.

I quote the passage: "It was Keynes who held the view that in the long run we are all dead', a maxim framed to excuse the abandonment of rules, destructive of ound policy for the same reason as Harold Wilson's equally vicious half-truth 'a week in politics is a long

From the General Secretary of The Communist Party of Great Britain

Communist Party. You claim that we are "a political party which uses the nuclear arms

nity as well".
We advocate international poli-

currency for their style and wit. Some indeed became collectors' pieces, as did this one. Keynes did not care for pomposity. But he enjoyed the grotesque and I am sure he would have been pleased to see it

Keynes was a master of the throw-

away line. Many of his had wide

FREDERIC HARMER, Tiggins Field, Kelsale,

### Communist policies

Sir, In your leading arricle of November 15 you support your attack on Monsignor Bruce Kent by distorting the position of the

campaign to promote international policies generally believed to be to the advantage of the country most dangerous to the West and most systematically inimicable to christia-

cies which would benefit the British people. It is quite true that they would also benefit the people of the Soviet Union, of the United States, and indeed the people of the world,

raised to the dignity of an immoral principle and enshrined in a bower of deathless purple prose. Yours sincerely,

Saxmundham, Suffolk

### since their prime purpose is to prevent the disaster of nuclear war.

We believe that Britain should have an independent foreign policy which makes the search for disarma ment a priority. Such an independent policy would exclude cruise missiles from our soil. It would involve British nuclear disarmament, not as an alternative to multilateral disarmament but as a

great contribution towards it. We urge the mutual dissolution both of Nato and the Warsaw Pact, and British withddrawal from Nato as a step towards this.

We call for comprehensive sanctions through the United Nations against the Aparthied regime in South Africa. Britain should support developing countries which are striving to achieve full independence and build their economies, instead

### The 'privatization' of religion

is, by itself, not "a good thing". It does, however, help when one has a headache, provided care is taken 10 saw was also the most succinct. Sir, The harshest book review I ever saw was also the most succinct. The reviewer commented that one element was missing from the book under review which was present in all other books he had read: "It is usually known as thought", he added.

almost 65 per cent in volume terms since its peak in 1973. Net public sector fixed investment in assets other than dwellings was insignificantly different from zero in 1982. Few would argue that the United infrastructure.
The statistical evidence of underinvestment and indeed of evidence of a country lumbered with an antiquated, often obsolete and crumbling stock of social overhead capital. print your strange and confused harangue as a leader is distressing.

Not only does this contribute to the prevailing drabness and shabbi-ness that characterizes so much of You assert that "Society... is to be Dr Habgood's foundation for our the British living and working environment, it is also bound to constitute a major obstacle to sustained recovery and higher economic growth.

Both cyclical and structural absurd position.

range of potentially high-yielding over a number of years are discriminated against. Any new scheme which yields a return that clarity of thought.

The "privatisation" of religion in this fashion is as absurd as the attempt by some more extreme adherents of liberation theology to remove from Christian truth the relation between the soul and his Maker. The faith speaks to both the individual and society. The most prominent believer in our era in the exclusively private nature of religion was the late Adolf Hitler.

the leader which strangely closes with reference to some (undefined) also the God of war (whatever that may mean)... That is the divine conflict within us. That is the way of

wholly private religion? Yours faithfully, KENNETH SLACK, The Manse, Allen Street, Kensington, W8.

### Tax and incentives

From Mr Ian Bryant

Sir, Your comments on Thursday (November 10) re tax cuts and incentives needed to have placed greater emphasis on the high tax borne by the lower-paid, which is the major factor in producing the present anomaly of three million unemployed whilst employers cannot fill vacancies.

I speak from experience, having just postponed the addition of a new wing to my hotel, in spite of having been allocated a £46,000 grant by the English Tourist Board, largely because, having been short of staff all this year, I could not expect to find the additional staff required without incurring the further cost of increased staff accommodation and transport.

Even I would not consider a hotel in a rural location as being representative of the jobs market, when most want a 9 to 5, Monday to are not subject to Treasury cover against exchange risk, and full provision has been made in the Friday job, but most employers I meet share my problem. For example, last night the managing director of a large American engineering company expanding a accounts of British Airways for the factory near by was bewailing the

### Test of time

From Professor J. Green

Sir, The present Government is introducing a tax on electricity. This was predicted over 100 years ago. Mr Gladstone asked Michael Faraday about the practical worth of electricity. The reply, was, "One day, Sir, you may tax it". Yours faithfully, GREEN.

Department of Zoology, Westfield College, University of London, Hampstead, NW3.

### Football violence

From Mr Alfred Youngs Sir. There was a time when the name of England was respected on the field of international football The skills of Stanley Matthews and Bobby Charlton, among others, were enjoyed and admired by European crowds and the visit of our teams looked forward to with keen anticipation.

Alas, no longer. As your Football Correspondent reports (November

of backing US efforts to destabilize and dominate them.

The subservience of Mrs Thatcher and her Government to the Reagan Administration is a menace to our

It is our view that the threat to world peace comes from the actions and policies of the US Government. The invasion of Grenada, present developments in and around Lebanon, and insistence on siting cruise and Pershing missiles in Europe confirm us in this view, which is increasingly shared by the British

Yours faithfully. GORDON MCLENNAN. General Secretary. Communist Party of Great Britain, 16 St John Street, EC1. November 21.

one instance by reference to

It is a matter of no surprise, therefore, that your exposition of

There is a modern enthusiasm for the "individual". It may pass. It is

particularly favoured by conserva-

tives who know no better when it is,

in fact, like so much that passes for

conservatism these days, grounded

in the theory of utilitarianism and thus part of the nineteenth-century

liberal legacy. But it is not a term

that the Church has especially favoured, nor, until our times, used

very much. When it has used it, it has usually been with critical intent.

made in the image of God, that God

became Man in the person of Christ, that the Church is felt to be Christ's

Body, that if we are a Church at all

we are all members one of another -

for the Christian all these are

axioms; not just theories that might

as well be expressed in other terms,

but revealed and experienced truths

embodied in formulas which have a

specific force for the truths that they

carry. We cannot simply substitute

another term for them without

or that God became Man in the

only be absurd but would change entirely the fundamentals of the

Christian faith. And this applies to

those who are of the faith as well as

the faith itself.

Because we are, despite our

characteristic faults, "members one

of another" we cannot stress just any

individuality without damaging the

personality that God has given us.
In the end, by your reasoning, we are reduced to that spurious "freedom of the individual" that

argues that a man has the right to smoke himself to death if he so

which is, you must agree, a wrong.

wishes. He has no such right, but he has the power of wilfulness to do it.

Your entire editorial is based not

on theology, nor even on a misunderstanding of theology, but upon an enfeebled political philos-

ophy which is Erastian in its intent

to view the Church as a mere collection of separated beings who

happen to possess similar views.

That, Sir, is not the communion of

'individual" of Christ would not

To say that God is "individual"

doing violence to our beliefs.

That God is personal, that man is

religious ideas is so weak.

From Mr M. D. Cante Sir, In your editorial today (November 21) you make use of the term "the individual" no fewer than 13 times, excluding quotation from Dr Habgood's address; you cite God on only five occasions and then in

The review came to my mind as I read your extraordinary leader (November 21), curiously entitled "The way of the Cross". That the Archbishop of York's enthronement sermon on "public faith" should be the occasion for wide discussion and even strong disagreement is wholly to the good. How excellent that a Christian leader should say some-thing so stimulating to reflection at such a time! But that you should

faith". I had the honour of being in York Minster and heard the sermon: I find it difficult to believe that any rational person listening to him could believe that he held such an

Phrases in your leader like "the essential privacy and uniqueness of religious experience" together with the pejorative references to "a sense of social responsibility, or any other collectivist euphemism which merely conceals an unconscious urge 10 personal power" give the clue. This leader is of the same family as the articles by Dr Roger Scruton to which we have lately been treated. with their attempts at a Hensley Henson-like rhetoric and polemic without the joy of that master's

You head your leader "The way of the Cross". The reference, I suppose, is to the last paragraph of conflict which "rages within each individual where the God of love is ther Cross".

May I suggest to you some reflection on the simpler but searching question of whether anyone would have troubled to crucify a Jesus who believed in a

12 Portland Street Fareham. Hampshire November 21.

MARTIN CAWTE,

saints, it is a club.

Yours faithfully,

fact he could get skilled staff such as agencies and advertising, could not fill junior clerical posts.

An 18-year-old earning £75 a week pays over 25 per cent by way of income tax and National Insurance contributions (I appreciate these are two quite different deductions, but the employee's first thought is for his or her net "take-

home" pay.

If thresholds were increased so that the lower-paid kept 90 per cent of their wages young people would have a greater incentive to take up employment, especially if part of the lost tax revenue was offset by lower rates of unemployment benefit.

The resultant fall in the number of unemployed would make good some more of this lost revenue and the balance of the shortfall should be funded from higher indirect taxation, especially via petrol duty and

Yours faithfully. IAN BRYANT. Swynford Paddocks, Country House Hotel and Six Mile Bottom Newmarket, Suffolk.

18), a sigh of relief has echoed around the French countryside that the European championship hosts have been spared a large-scale invasion of what he rightly describes as an army of violent English criminals.

Surely it is not beyond the wit of ourselves and our European neighbours to devise a system whereby visiting supporters are segregated from those of the host country. In addition to fighting on the terraces, the recent brawling in the streets of Luxembourg is a national disgrace. calling for drastic action by both sporting and civil authorities. Yours faithfully.

ALFRED YOUNGS. 39 Stephen Road. Oxford. November 18.

### Even-handed

From Mr Noel Currer-Briggs Sir, The Police Studies Institute survey (report, November 19):

Britannia semper felix. What other country's police force would have the courage to commission a report such as this and accept its findings? Yours faithfully. NOEL CURRER-BRIGGS

### Child benefits

24320 Verteillac, France.

From Mr Bryan Jefferson Sir. It was reported yesterday (November 21) that the family of the Liverpool sextuplets might soon be involved in a deal worth half a

million pounds.

Is this likely to achieve a place in the book of records as the finest example of cash on delivery? Yours faithfully, BRYAN JEFFERSON. 70 Wimpole Street, W1. November 22.



# COURT AND SOCIAL

### **COURT** CIRCULAR

BUCKINGHAM PALACE November 22: His Excellency Mr Salah Abdulla Muthana was received in audience today by Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and The Princess Margaret, Count-ess of Snowdon, Counsellors of State acting on behalf of The Queen, and presented the Letters of Recall of his predecessor and his own Letters of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen to the Court of

St James's.

His Excellency was accompanied by the following members of the Embassy, who had the honour of being presented to Her Majesty and Her Royal Highness: Mr Hussein Abdulla Abdo (First Secretary, Consular) and Mr Abubaker Teina (Commercial Attaché).

Mrs Muthana had the honour of being received by Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and The Princess Margaret, Countess of

Snowdon.

Mr Patrick Wright (Deputy
Under Secretary of State for Foreign
and Commonwealth Affairs) who
had the honour of being received by
Her Majesty and Her Royal
Highness was present and the
Gentlemen of the Household in
Westime area in a regardance.

Gentlemen of the Household in African Wolvering were in attendance.

Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, Counsellors of State acting on behalf of The Queen, received Mr Justice Nichols upon his appointment as a Justice of the High Court of Justice, Her Majesty conferred upon him the Court of Court of State State Court Counters of State State Court C Majesty conferred upon him the honour of Knighthood. Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, Counsellors

of State acting on behalf of The Queen, received Mr Justice Otton upon his appointment as a Justice of the High Court of Justice. Her Majesty conferred upon him the honour of Knighthood. The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark

Phillips this afternoon attended the Annual Presentation of Medals and Certificates to Nurses of The

onaldson). Mrs Andrew Feilden was in

CLARENCE HOUSE CLARENCE HOUSE.
November 22: Queen Elizabeth The
Queen Mother this afternoon
visited the Royal College of Music
and presented Certificates to Fellows and Awards to Senior

Lady Elizabeth Basset and Captain Alastair Aird were in Lady Elizabeth Basset has

succeeded Mrs Patrick Campbellreston as Lady-in-Waiting to Her

KENSINGTON PALACE November 22: The Prince of Wales share. this morning at Kensington Palace received the 1982 and 1983 winners of The Prince of Wales's Award for

Rural Crafts. His Royal Highness, President, The Prince of Wales's Advisory Group on Disability gave a Lutcheon party at Kensington Palace for industrialists and others concerned with the employment and re-employment of disabled

KENSINGTON PALACE November 22: Princess Alice Duchess of Gloucester, Patron, East African Women's League (United Kingdom) was present this after-noon at the General Meeting held at Holy Trinity Church House, Brompton Road, London, Miss Jean Maxwell-Scott was in

attendance.
In the evening Her Royal Highness, Colonel-in-Chief, The King's Own Scottish Borderers, received Lieutenant-Colonel T. P. Toyne Sewell on relinquishing command of the 1st Battalion of the

Regimmt.
The Duke of Gloncester visited Royal Army Pay Corps at Worthy Down. Hampshire, His Royal Highness travelled in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Simon Bland was in attendance.
The Duchess of Gloucester this

Hospitals for Sick Children, at Guildhall, London where Her Royal
Highness was received by the Right
Hon the Lord Mayor (Dame Mary

Hospitals for Sick Children, at later opened "Highfield" Flatlets, The Bournemouth Old People's Welfare and Housing Society, Southbourne, Dorset, Her Royal Highness travelled in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight

in the evening The Duchess of Gloucester was present at The Royal Concert organized by Musicians Benevolent Fund to mark the Festival of St Cecilia, at Royal Festival Hall, London. Mrs Howard Page was in

YORK HOUSE

President, this morning visited the Automobile Association's National Training Centre, Widmerpool and later visited Fabrikat Limited at Sutton in Ashfield, Nottingham-

His Royal Highness, who trav-elled in an aircraft of the Queen's Flight was attended by Captain

THATCHED HOUSE LODGE
November 22: Princess Alexander
this afternoon presented The Design
Council's Schools Design Prize at
the Institution of Civil Engineers,
London SWI.
in the evening, as Patron of The

New Bridge, Her Royal Highness attended the 1983 New Bridge Lecture at Ironmongers' Hall, EC2 Lady Nicholas Gordon Lennox was in attendance.

The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh will visit the Canadian provinces of Ontario, Manitoba and New Brunswick during the second half of July, 1984.

The Duke of Gloucester will visit Edinburgh College of Art on November 29, and later as Patron of the Association for the Protection of Rural Scotland, will present Archi-tectural Awards 1983, at Signet Library, Parliament Square, Edin-burgh.

morning opened Ad Astra First Davis will be held at 12.30 today at School, Canford Heath, Poole, and All Souls, Langham Place.

### **Forthcoming** marriages

### Mr R. J. Middleton and Miss J. Morland

The engagement is announced between Rupert, son of Lady Strathcona and Mount Royal, of Highbury Road, Wimbledon, and the late Mr J. P. Middleton, and Julia, daughter of Mr and Mrs Eric Morland, of Divonne, France.

### Mr J. A. W. Cheyne and Signorina F. E. C. Napolitani

A marriage has been arranged A marriage has been arranged between James Andrew Watson, youngest son of Sir Joseph and Lady Cheyne, of Rome, Italy, and Federica Elda Cristina, younger daughter of Ingeniere and Signora Fignora Paolo Napolitani, of Rome, Italy

### Mr P. A. Harrison Stanton and Miss E. C. Morgan

The engagement is announced between Philip, son of the late Major R. G. Harrison Stanton and of Mrs Brock and stepson of Rear-Admiral P. W. Brock, CB. DSO, of Admiral V. W. Broke, C.B. D.S.O. of Kiln Cottage, Haslemere, Surrey, and Elisa, only daughter of Rear-Admiral Sir Patrick and Lady Morgan, of Swallow Barn, Crondall,

Mr D. W. T. Bramley and Miss S. J. Swords-Lindsay The engagement is announced between David William Taylor, son of Mr and Mrs F. H. Bramley, son of Dore. Sheffield, and Sarah Jane, daughter of Mr and Mrs R. E. Lindsay, of Hanford, Childe Okeford, Dorset.

Mr K. G. W. Chippindall-Higgin and Miss L. M. Short

### Mr N. G. Clarke

and Miss G. J. Leonbard The engagement is announced between Nicholas, son of Mr and Mrs Guy Clarke, of London, and Gabricle, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs Werner Leonhard, of Zurich, Switzerland.

Mr J. M. P. Clayton and Mirs P. A. Wilson

and Mrs P. A. Wilson
The engagement is announced
between Julian. younger son of Mr
A. H. T. Clayton, of Uley,
Gloucestershire, and of Mrs Patricia
Clayton, of 25 Bells Hill. Bishop's Stortford, Herifordshire, and Patricia, younger daughter of the Rev A. E. F. and Mrs Trotman, of 17 Estcourt Road, Salisbury, Wiltshire.

Mr N. R. Fellows and Miss S. J. Wells The engagement is announced between Nicholas Robert, only son of Mr and Mrs F. R. Fellows, of Oundle. Northamptonshire, and Sarah Jane, elder daughter of the late Squadron Leader D. Wells and Mrs R. Leigh; stepdaughter of Mr R. Leigh, of Uxbridge, Middlesex.

The engagement is announced between Huw, son of Mrs Nansi Jones and the late Mr David Jones. of Tumble. Lianelli, and Sian. daughter of Mr and Mrs D. Clifford Davies, of Sketty, Swansea.

### Mr G. B. MacQuillan and Mile D. A. Gianadda

The engagement is announced between Gerard, younger son of the late Dr Anthony John MacQuillan and of Mrs Veronica MacQuillan, of Aberpayenny, Gwent, and Domini-que, only daughter of the late Professor Henri Gianadda and of Mmc Vera Gianadda, of Les Tavillons, 1711, Fribourg, Switzer-

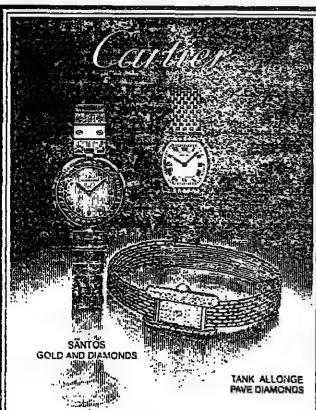
Mr J. W. H. Sumption and Dr P. J. Thomson

and Miss L. M. Short

The engagement is announced between Kevan, son of Mr and Mrs
C. W. Chippindall-Higgin, of 48

Springfield Read, St John's Wood, London, NW8 0QW, and Lucy, daughter of Mr J. Morant Short, of Romsey, Hampshire, and Mrs Mary Short, of Petersfield, Hampshire.

The engagement is between Jonathan, elder son of the late Mr W. A. Sumption and of Mrs Peter Dobree, of Holcombe Rogus, Devon, and Holcombe Rogus, Devon, and Penelope, only daughter of Mr W. L. Thomson, of Chelsea, London, and Mrs Norman Stodgell, of Waterdale, Staplegrove, Somerset.



ler muit de Cartier boutique HARVEY NICHOLS, KNIGHTSBRIDGE, LONDON SW3.

TELEPHONE 01-235 5000.

Trade Association's 18th annual council luncheon was held at the Hyde Park Hotel, Knightsbridge yesterday. Lord Erroll of Hale presided. The chief guest and speaker was Mr Paul Channon, Minister for Trade.

attendance.

ST JAMES'S PALACE November 22: The Duke of Kent, as

Lord Bethell will open a Christmas Bazaar, in aid of Estonian, Latvian and Lithuanian Welfare Work, on Saturday, November 26, at 11 at 72 Queensborough Terrace, W2. A memorial service for Mr Terence

### Birthdays today

Knight, 51: Mr Christopher Logue, 57; Mr Maurice Lush. 87: Miss Diana Quick. 37: Sir Peter Saunders. 72: Sir Peter Strawson, 64; Sir William Watson. 81.

### Latest appointments

Bernard Weatherill, MP. Speaker of the House of Commons and Mr Swraj Paul to be Joint Presidents of the Elimination of Leukaemia

Mr Stephen Kendall, assistant editor (special projects) Yorkshire Evening Post, to be Editor of the Lancashire Evening Post, in succession to Mr Christopher Oakley, who is to become Editor of the who is to become Editor of the Liverpool Echo.

Mr Hubert Ashton



### Latest appointments include:

Lady Butler of Saffron Walden, Mr.

be Deputy Lieutenants of Essex.



Prebendary Dewi Morgan. Rector of St Bride's Fleet Street, who announced yesterday that he was retiring in June. Fleet Street's parish priest, who is aged 67, was press officer with the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel before moving to the Wren church in 1962.

Professor C. Adamson, 61; Mr. Robert Buhler, 67; Mrs Anne Burns, 68; Professor C. J. Hamson, QC. 78; Sir John Hermon, 55; Mr Lew Hoad, 49; Air Marshal Sir Michael

Clark, Colonel David Casstles, Lady (Peter) Kirk, Mr Peter Lake, Mr Julius Neave, Mr Rou Williams to

Foreign Press Association in Mr David Steel, MP, Leader of the Liberal Party, was the guest of honour at a function of the Foreign Press Association held at Carton

Luncheons

House Terrace yesterday. Mr Syed Mustafa, president, was in the chair. United Kingdom South Africa Trade Paul Hugenholtz, Professor Ake Senning and Dr Walter Somerville. The United Kingdom South Africa

### Dinners

Receptions

**Torch Trophy Trust** Prince and Princess Michael of Kent presented the Torch Trophy Trust Awards for 1983 yesterday evening at a reception held at Simpson at a reception near as Suppos-(Piccadilly) Limited. They were received by Mr E. A. Croker, chairman of the trust, and Mr M. G. Moss. managing director of Moss managing director of Simpson (Piccadilly) Limited. Among those present were:

Lord Aberdare. Wing Commander and Mrs R N Benwell, Liquienant Commander Sir Richard Buckley. Commander and Mrs FW Colline, Air Vice-Marshal and Mrs J T Lawrence, Air Vice-Marshal and Mrs J T Lawrence, Air Vice-Marshal R A Ramaye Rus. Sir Stanley Rois. Liquienast-Colonel R G Satterflowette, Air Commeders R H F Weignill. Mrs E A Cruker. Mr and Mrs J Hart and Mrs and Mrs J hart and Mrs and Mrs J hart and Mrs and Mrs J

British Cardiac Society

The President of the British Cardiac The President of the British Cardiac Society, Professor Michael Oliver, held a reception at the Athenaeum, London, on Monday, November 21, 1983. Those present included the President of the International Society and Federation of Cardiology. Dr. T. N. James, The President of the Finnish Cardiac Society. Professor J. Takkunen; Professor Donald Acheson, Professor John Goodwin, Professor John Goodwin, Professor Ake

Anglo-Brazilian Society The Anglo-Brazilian Society held a

dinner at the Dorchester hotel last night when Sir David Hunt was the guest of honour. Members and guests were received by the Brazilian Ambassador, president of the society, and Senhora Gibson-Barboza, and by the Earl of Dartmouth, chairman, and the Countess of Dartmouth. Among COURTIES OF LEATHERMAN.
Others present were:
The Colombian Ambassedor and Senore
Endnow. The Montens Ambassedor and Dra
Arbeited-Chieva. Si Derek Posson. Ser
Arbeited-Chieva. Si Derek Posson.
JE Ure. Senhor J M de Lumos Maccado.
Senhor and Senhora J O Rache de Almesda
and Mr and Mrs. Eric Quick.

Anglo-Somali Society The Council of the Anglo-Somali Society entertained the Somali Minister for Industry, Major-General Abdulla Mohamed Fadil, at dinner at the Army and Navy Club yesterday. Brigadier M. B. Page

### Mr and Mrs A. Long. Latest wills

Latest estates include (net, before tax paid: Adams, Mr John Roland QC, of 

WCTT.
The Ambanador of Sombila, HM
ambanador in Monadahu, Riber Bana
Mohamed Saned, Professor i M Lovin, Mr
Ecobert Banks, MP, Mr R M Porcail, Miss K
Earley and Mr J N Ward.

City of London Solicitors' Company

Mr P. J. Purton, Master of the City of London Solicitors' Company.

of London Solicitors Cambaly, presided at a dinner held last night at Fishmongers' Hall. The other speakers were Viscount Tonypandy, Lord Markay of Clashfers and Mr.

Lord Mackey of Clashfern and Mr E. P. T. Roney, Junior Warden. The guests included:
The Hen Peter Brooks. MP. Captain Str Miles Wingste, the President and Sacretary-General of the Law Society, the President of the Law Society, the President of the Law Society, the President of the Strategy of the President of the Strategy. He of the President of the Strategy of the Foundary of Charlest Surveyors and Surveyors and Charlest Surveyors and Surveyors a

The Secretary of State for the Home Department was the guest of honour at a dinner given by the Economics Group of the Reform Club. Mr.

Douglas Llambias presided.

Reform Chib

Lord Auckland

Trowbridge, Wilsshire £356,361 Gradwell-Walker, Mrs Averil Frances Mary, of Rickmansworth, ...£204,084 Granus E292,997
Stanmore £292,997
Munday, Mr Gerald Ernest of
Llanridian, West Glamorgan
£230,175

Nixon, Mabel of Bramley, £210,728 Sykes, Mrs Violet Lavender of Chitterne, Wiltshire £348,404

### Tallow Chandlers' Company

The Lord Mayor, accompanied by Mr Sheriff R. Fitzgerald, presented the 1983 Tallow Chandlers' Company awards at their hall yesterday. The Master, Mr F. Leslie Living, presided and the Lord Mayor and Mr P. G. Cazalet also spoke.

### Science report

Drumming up support: James Galway, the flautist,

rehearsing with pupils from London schools taking part

in the British première of Pied Piper Fantasy by John

Corigliano, the American composer, which opened at the Barbican last night. The show closes tomorrow.

(Photograph: Harry Kerr).

### Debut of the 'electric drug'

By Clive Cookson, Technology Correspondent

move across the gap, altering the electrode on the other side.

molecules are released and ment chemical to use or

brain.

American researchers bave taken the first step towards the development of an "electric drug" device that could deliver a chemical directly to specific

cells at a given moment. Chemists at University of Mianesota have invented a electro releases dopamine, a key neurotransmitter or brain chemical. It can be turned on or off electrically with great

The work is part of a worldwide effort by pharmaceutical companies and universities to develop more accurate and controllable methods of aiming drugs at particular places in the body.

After two years of research, the Minnesota scientists have made a prototype device with two carbon libre electrodes, each one-thousandth of an inch thick, with a drop of solution between them. One electrode is coated with a polymer containing dopamine When current flows, dopamine

University news Mr Charles E. Rossiter has been appointed to the chair of occu-pational health at the London School of Hygiege and Tropical Medicine and will take up the post on April 1, 1984. Since 1979 he has been head of the division of computing and statistics at the MRC clinical research centre. The device works in a somewhat similar way to a synapse in the brain creating electrochemical communication between cells, though

Dr Larry Miller, co-inventor of the Minnesota device, expects to extend the technology quite quickly from dopamine to the other 10 or so neurotransmitters now known to be involved in the brain or nervous system. It could also be applied to other organs

such as the heart. Medical applications of the technology lie several years in the future. Tiny electrodes could be implanted in the brain to deliver medicine for disorders such as Parkinson's disease or possibly schizo-phrenia; both are linked to the

brain's dopamine system. But scientists today still do not know how much replace-

MA, have been elected honorary fellows of Birkbeck College. Newcastle

Professor Charles Hugh Wilson Horne, professor of immunopathology, Aberdeen University, has been appointed to the chair of pathology and headship of the department, from April, 1984.

Leicester Dr D. B. Barnett MD. MB, ChB, senior lecturer in clinical pharmo-Lord Fletcher, LLD, Mr B. T. senior lecturer in clinical pharmo-Buckle, BA, and Mr H. L. Snaith. cology at Leicester University, has

much better results. Schizophrenia is more prob-

exactly where to put it in the

Victims of Parkinson's dis-

case, whose muscles become rigid and then develop a

characteristic tremor, lack

dopamine and are now treated

precursor of dopamine. But

that drog has impleasant side effects, and direct application to the brain cells could give lematic. Schizophrenics seem to have either too little or too much departine and may have defects in other neurotransmitter systems.

One possibility for the future is to combine the Minnesota device with a miniature electronic sensor that would tell the electrode to release the drug whenever the chemical balance in the cell was wrong. Such sensors or "biochips" are under developmeat in several laboratories.

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### presided. Among those present OBITUARY

### PROF BRENDA RYMAN Mistress of Girton

Professor Brenda Ryman, administrative and research FRSC, FRCPath, (Mrs. Harry responsibilities) when elected Barkley) who died on Novemb-Mistress of Girton in 1976. In October 1978 at the beginning of her third year as Mistress her husband Dr Harry er 20 at the age of 60 after a long illness had been Professor of iliness had been Protessor of Biochemistry at Charing Cross Mistress her husband Dr Harry Hospital Medical School, University of London since 1972 in 1948, died suddenly in College, Cambridge.

College, Cambridge.

Brenda Ryman became Mistress of Girton in 1976 at the after he died, she devoted her age of 53, She brought to the job year's stipend as Mistress to setting up a fund at Girton in

age of 53, She brought to the job qualities both of mind and mistress ship a distinctive clinical medical students. They character, and made her a had a son and a daughter.

As the first married Mistress formidable women who had of Girton, and the one who of Girton, and the one who held the post before her. single-sex to mixed college, Brenda Ryman did a great deal

The political committee and members of St Stephen's Consti-Brenda Edith Ryman was born in Bristol and educated at Colston Girls' School, and read national Club entertained the Secretary of State for Defence, Mr Michael Heseltine, at dinner at the House of Lords. Lord Auckland was Natural Sciences at Girton College in the Abnormal con-ditions of wartime, graduating House of Lords. Lord Auckland was
the host and among those present
were Lord Kaberry of Adel,
president of the club, Sir Maurice
and Lady Fiennes, Mr C. R. Meyer,
Mr K. D. Rubens, Mr and Mrs M.
F. Turner Bridger, Mr and Mrs K.
D. Irons, Mr B. Langford Smith and in 1943 with an undistinguished degree. After two years as a humanity with tough practi-Research Chemist for Glazo cality. Impatient of graziers Laboratories she became a and grumblers, she was quick to and grumblers, she was quick to offer sympathy and practical sity of Birmingham, working for a PhD under Professor W. V. Thorpe of the Biochemistry Department.

After obtaining the PhD she moved to the Department of Biochemistry of the Royal Free Hospital School of Medicine and, except for a year's full-time although she warned, the Electer escarch under Ernst Chain at Imperial College, she stayed there until 1972, moving up the academic ladder and being appointed Reader in 1968. She was a poor one and that she was appointed Reader in 1968. She was a poor one and that she was appointed Reader in 1968. She was a poor one and that she was appointed Reader in 1968. She was a poor one and that she was appointed Reader in 1968. She was a poor one and that she was appointed Reader in 1968. She was a poor one and that she was appointed Reader in 1968. She was a poor one and that she was appointed them that she was appointed them that she was appointed them that she was appointed the first degree was a poor one and that she was appointed them that she was appointed the First degree was a poor one and that she was appointed the First degree was a poor one and that she was appointed the First degree was a poor one and that she was appointed Reader.

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to change the atmosphere of Girton and the notions held about it outside.

She combined a very warm

was inclined to nursemaid its undergraduates and was suspicious of over-solicitous Directors of Studies or Tutors.

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Girton in the mid-seventies. Her main research interests
In 1972 she was appointed were in mammalian glycogen
Professor of Biochemistry at metabolism, glycogen storage
Charing Cross Hospital Medical diseases and the use of lipo-School and continued to hold somes as carriers of therapeutic this post (with heavy teaching, agents, including insulin.

### MRS NAOMI THOMAS

Mrs Naomi Thomas, who has . war broke out. Attached for a died at her home at Laguna was a member of Sir Alan Cobham's Air Displays in the 1930s.

great spirit and initiative and with a strong sense of adventure. Having trained at the gliding school at Darmstadt in gliding school at Darmstadt in
Germany, she was responsible
in the 1930s for some remarkable gliding achievements both
in 1937, to Howard D. Thomas.

while to the British mission at Hills, California, at the age of . Zagreb, she was later repatriated to Britain where she joined the Maxwell, a well-known British Air Transport Anxiliary as a aviatrix and parachutist, and In 1946 she emigrated to California and in June 1947

The second daughter of Sir reached the exceptional altitude Ivor Heron-Maxwell of Springfor a woman glider pilot, of kell, 8th Bt, she was a woman of 14,400 ft. She also had a for a woman glider pilot, of 14,400 ft. She also had a successful career as a business-woman in Los Angeles, dealing in real estate.

able gliding achievements both for height and duration. In 1939 she set off from her only child, Nicholas, who London to walk to India and survives her. Her second marhad reached Yugoslavia when riage was dissolved in 1967.

### MARCEL DALIO

Marcel Dalio, the character family grocery before deciding actor who appeared in many to make his career as an actor. films in both his native France. In 1916 he entered the Paris and in Hollywood, has died in

Paris at the age of 83. He made his name in the pre- wards. in Pépé-le-Moko and in two Jean Renoir classics, playing Rosenthal, one of the prisoners of war in La Grande Illusion and, probably his finest screen performance, the Marquis de la Chesnaye in La Règie du Jeu. But when the Germans invaded France in 1940, Dalio, 2 Jew, found himself in a precarious position and he fled first to

Canada and then the United

He was born Israel Blauschild on July 17, 1900, in Paris, and spent his early years in the

the 1940 Derby at Newmarket, has died at Newbury aged 74.
Although his career was rather overshadowed by his

Like Harry, Sam was apprenticed to Bob Colling at Newmarket; his first classic success and Gimcrack Stakes.

Conservatory but was called up for military service soon after-

In Hollywood he player mainly supporting parts and was often cast as the comic Frenchman. He was a croupier in Casablanca, a gendarme in A Song of Bernadette and Hum-phrty Bogart's friend in To Have and Have Not. Among his more recent films were Can Can, Donovan's Reef, Catch-22

and The Great White Hope. He also returned to films in France but failed to regain his pre-war eminence and his last appearances were in minor television roles.

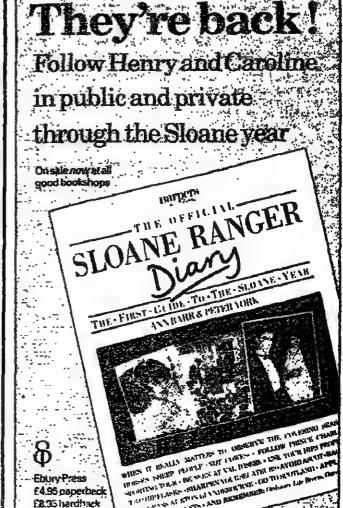
SAM WRAGG Sam Wragg, the jockey who rode Pont i Evêque to victory in was on Châtelaine in the 1933 Oaks and he also won the 1938 1,000 Guineas on Rockfel.

The most successful horse he rainer overshadowed by his older brother, Harry, Sam Australia where, renamed Star Wragg rode with success during the 1930s and 1940s. rode after the war was Star King ary sire - one of the outstanding two-year-olds of 1948 and winner of the Richmond Stakes

# Calls to the Bar in Michaelmas Term

The following students of the Inns of Court have been called to the Bar in Michaelmas Term: BA (Oxon): C C S Chin Felt LLB (Bickingham).

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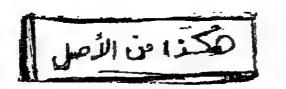
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# JOINTHE PEACE NOVEMENT.

For the last 20 years or more the British Army has been involved in many peace-keeping missions around the world.

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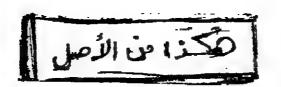
It is an outstanding example of aviation technology.

It has a gross take-off weight of 377, 846 kgs. (That's the equivalent of over 45 double decker buses taking off at once.) And it is powered by four Pratt & Whitney engines, each developing 54,750 lbs of thrust.

Yet, despite this increased size and power, this

plane is actually quieters than
However, what is most in
isn't the exterior but the inv
SIA has had it laid out to
upstairs deck is twice the





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been designed as a single cabin to accommodate the Business Class.

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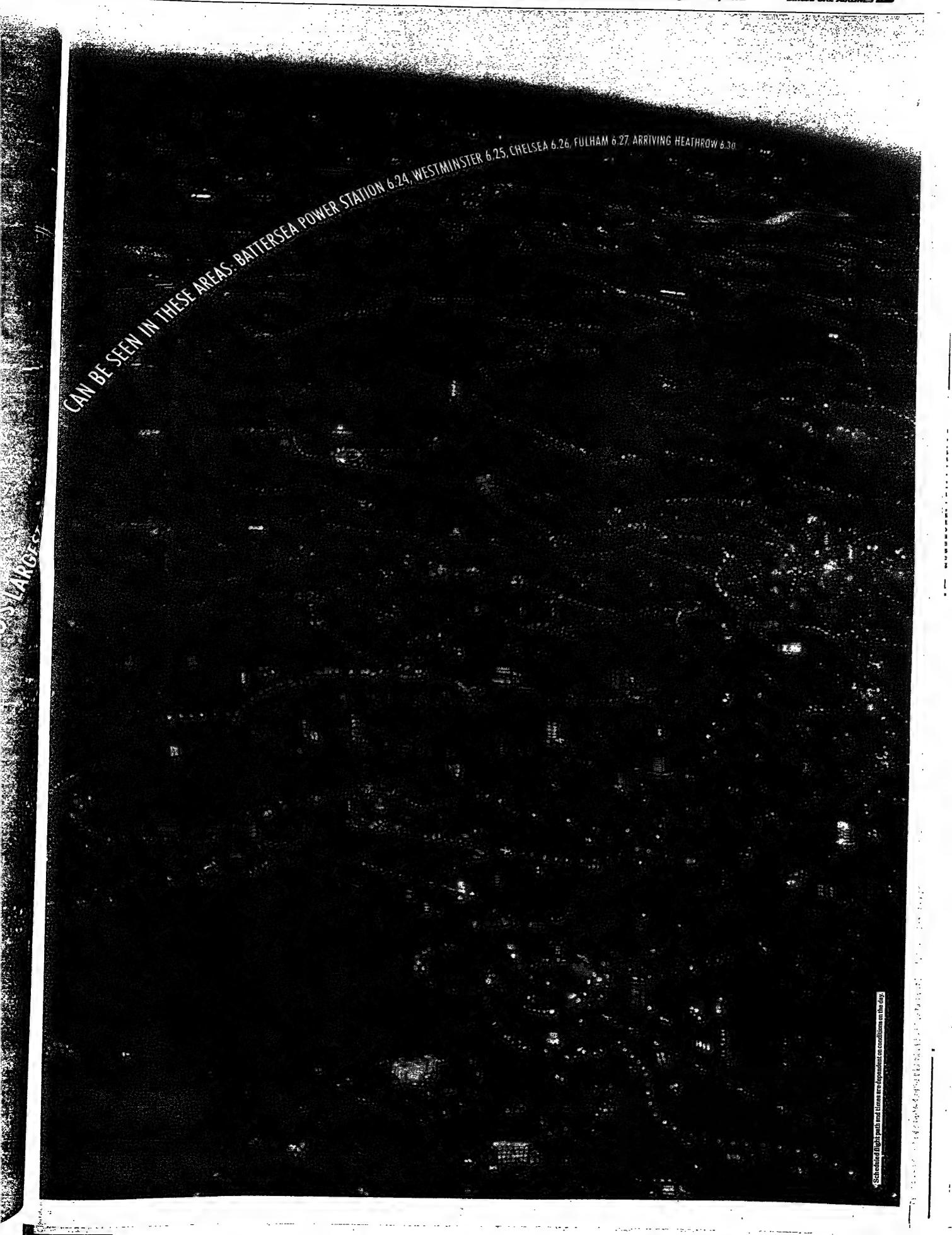
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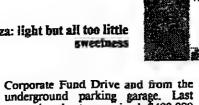


### THE ARTS

The Vivian Beaumont Theater at New York's Lincoln Center has failed to live up to high hopes, and is now the subject of bitter dispute: Saraleigh Carney reports

# Theatre with a stony silence

Lincoln Center Plaza: light but all too little



the acoustics for his current production of Carmen. Dark since June 1981, the beleaguered Beaumont's future is the source of an ugly landlord-tenant dispute. Its projected renovation had become the focal point of dissatisfaction with the leadership of Richmond Crinkley, best known as the commercial producer of the Broadway hit The

In 1965 the New York Concrete

Industry Board cited the Vivian Beaumont Theater at Lincoln Center

in New York that year. This was the

last unqualified good thing anyone had to say about this building. Now Peter Brook has been tinkering with

the best concrete structure erected

The Lincoln Center board has just appointed three of its members to meet representatives of the Beaumont board, but in the meantime resolutions adopted in August remain in effect. The present management was stripped of the right to use Lincoln Center's name and of a share in the proceeds from the Consolidated

Hallé/Loughran

When Adrian Boult conducted

the City of Birmingham Orches-

tra in the 1920s, and the

London orchestras were in a

deputy-ridden mess, he used to say modestly that if he wanted

to hear a good concert, he took

the train to Manchester. The

Halle was then the best-

established orchestra in the

policy, the main regional orchestras lead their metro-

nolitan counterparts by a long

chalk, and if adventure in the

comtemporary repertory is more often found at present in Birmingham and Liverpool, than in Manchester, the Halle's

virtues in the mainstream

As they were displayed in

on Monday, although they were ing of

Shostakovich's Fifth Symphony

backdrop to Peter Katin's aimable, fluent Chopin Second

Piano Concerto, these virtues

It had not occurred to me that

London noticeably lacked a medium-sized amateur chorus,

but Singers of London, 48

strong, have apparently found

such a gap and decided to fill it.

bottom, with a resulting dwindling of tonal weight in

Handel's Divit Dominus and

Haydo's Salve Regina. Mozart

fared better with his buoyant

teenage part-writing in a Te Deum and Litaniae Lauretanae,

but an instinct for rhythm was

not among the choir's marked assets, which inclined to taste

the Auglo-Austrian Piano Trio

at the Wigmore Hall explored

unfamiliar territory in the A minor Trio. Op 26, by Lalo.

d.minishing interest in equal

but entirely constant in its

minor Trio, Op 26, by Lalo, Second Quartet, Op92 in F, The best that can be said for with its roots in Caucasian folk

this is that it gave the players themes. A potent mixture of

saares, whereas Mozart's B flat rhythms reflected a keen under-

: : (K 502) is unfair to cellists standing of the music's purpose.

Of new instrumental groups

rather than style.

repertory should be prized.

Still, in terms of freedom of programming and cogency of

land, and the finest.

Festival Hall

underground parking garage. Last year, the theater received \$489,000 The sanctions are the culmination

Lincoln Center's unhappiness over the lack of progress toward establishing a strong organization devoted to drama. Some, looking for ominous portents, have found one in the drained reflecting pool in front of the theater, which is actually being repaired through a grant from the Henry Moore Foundation.

The Beaumont was created as the eventual home of a theatre company which would equal the achievements of its lofty neighbours - the Metropolitan Opera, the New York Philharmonic, the New York City Opera and Ballet - but it has been a continuing embarrassment. Three managements came and went without pleasing the critics, the public or

It therefore had a considerable stake in the success of Richmond Crinkley as Executive Director of the

include a solidity of ensemble Los Romeros

and rhythmic conviction, excel-lent cobesion within individual

sections, and some outstanding

remove the poise and beauty of.

the first movement of the

symphony, or the stratospheric

James Loughran is a flashy

conductor, but within limits:

there is nothing hysterical about

his Shostakovich, and he is just

as concerned to blend and

balance his brass section as to

moments - harp and celesta

chiming in perfect unison, strings depositing a breathless

major chord at the end of third

mind rather than the climaxes.

As often with English choirs, delight. The performance verthere were stronger middle ged on the prim and proper, strong basis of technique to voices than at either top or Beethoven's C minor Trio, Op 1 equip her for the larger reman-

No 3, benefited from a sociably-

balanced, tidy-minded ap-

proach, as did his D major Quartet, Op 18 No 3, in the

same hall from the English

String Quartet, which has

grown by the addition of a

second violin to the trio led by

Their responsive assurance

exposed the cheerful prattle of

Mendelssohn's F minor Quar-

tel. Op 44 No2. and gave spirited character to Prokofiev's

melodic warmth and stabbing

Hanna Jasyk, a Polish

what Shostakovich needs.

On Monday, it was the quier

let it blast us out of our seats.

announced that screne theme.

solo playing.

Concerts

There are some fluffs, rather It is, regrettably, increasingly

too many on Monday, but even rare to hear guitars play without so the odd broken note cannot electrification or amplification,

say, the horn and flute's solos in like the California-based Los

first violin line which first Monday night for the first time

Wigmore Hall

or to hear a consort of guitars

Romeros, father and three sons.

who returned to London on

in 12 years. A generous

programme perhaps sought to make up for their absence.

was often more of a testament

to skill and industry than to

players was concerned, tran-

scriptions from Telemann and

Bach (the last movements of

two Brandenburg Concertos)

need and deserve a more

movement - which stuck in the carefully balanced ensemble from Chapi's La Revoltosa.

The finale was postively re-apparent on this occasion, could have been made greatly strained, until the final pound-though the movement from the more interesting to the audience

tic works she featured in her

Wigmore Hall programme. The

rich keyboard sonorities she

brought to Franck's Prelude,

Chorale and Fugue were mat-ched by the contrast of turbu-

lent feeling and wayward sentiment in Schumann's Op26.

the Faschingsschwand aus Wien. Chopin's B flat minor

Sonata was distinguished by

controlled brilliance and sensi-

violinists was Galina Heifetz, a

native of Kiev now based in

New York, as is her pianist.

Dina Lifshits. In the reverber-

brought consitent sweetness of

tone and style to a genial, large-

scale Sonata by Taneyev, which

The more experienced of two

Brandenbur

Where the full quartet of

musical calibre.

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Nicholas Kenyon of a solo suite by Gaspar Sanz was the best of the baroque

not as prominent in the messy retained its humanity, which is somewhat better than the information to supplement the

London debuts

Taste before style

Lincoln Center Theater Company, In December 1978, with much ado, five artists were selected to form theatre's directorate, an Crinkley, modestly described as administrator and coordinator, announced: "From time to time we will use guest directors, but the spine of the season and the thrust of the artistic policy will be the directorate. We will make

decisions collectively,"

How well he is running the company is controversial. Crinkley has his supporters on the Beaumont board, and they extended his contract to November 1985 at a meeting in July at which their chairman and president were not present. Subsequently both resigned, which, according to Martin E Segal, Lincoln Center chairman, made the Centre board very pervous indeed"

Crinkley insists that, in order for the theatre to work economically and artistically, the main auditorium which attempts to combine a thrust and a proscenium stage needs to be radically altered: "Wonderful theatre

although the choice of works effects of technique.

was often more of a testament A version of the Spanish

and rhythmic spirit than was This and most of the works

though the movement from the more interesting to the audience

ant St James's, Piccadilly, they she conveyed little evident

others. Angel Romeros's playing bare titles provided.

The suite Rajagas by Moreno

Torroba, who died last year.

and who wrote it for the

Romeros, comprised three

movements, in a folk-based

style of contrasted ryhthms and

restricted harmonies, which

were effectively shared between

the players in terms of ensemble

writing. The senior Romero,

Celendonio, played three solo

movements from a suite of his

own composition, each a character study of Spanish

music, skilfully coloured by

Dance No 2 by Granados (known as "Oriental") as a

guitar duet by Celin and Pepe

Romero was sensitively done in

both arrangement and perform-

ance, and as a devotee Zarzuela

I much enjoyed the cheerful

arrangement for the quartet

managed to be both serious

minded and diverting in the

Deftly varied technique and

stylistic panache characterized

Efrem Zimbalist's effective

arrangement of a Fantasy on

Rimsky-Korsakov's The Golden

Cockerel, the initial cock-crow

and the Astrologer's theme in

harmonics leading to obligatory

virtuosity. Neither this nor a Sonata by Saint-Saens went

very deep, but they were played

with a charm of presentation

which Gillian Findlay might

have sought to advantage in her Purcell Room programme.

She had strong support from

Gordon Back at the piano in

Busoni's E minor Sonata, Op

36a, with its splendid variations

on a Bach chorale, and in the

vouthfully ardent Sonata. Op

18, Richard Strauss. It enabled

the violinist to shape a phrase

pleasure in the music.

with assurance of purpose, but

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course of its four movements.

Noël Goodwin

can be done there - but only at compromises." Reasonable ticket Reasonable ticket prices, better acoustics and sight-lines, and reduction of anticipated deficits are promised results of the proposed conversion to a proscenium format, Lincoln Center charges that the first

priority of the management should be the production of plays. Segal says that the emphasis on renovation came after a single season "that was less than stellar, which directed attention away from the theatre's artistic purposes". For two years, the "only thing that has been happening at the Beaumont is talk of renovation". During that time, however, Crinkley has been engaged in two commercial productions, and the appearance of a conflict with running these not-for-profit theatres has been suggested by the press and potential donors. Crinkley compares his commercial ventures with the outside activities of the National's Peter Hall and the RSC's Trevor Nunn, but without their track record.

Both Segal and Crinkley agree that funds should be expended in a prudent fashion, that they have a public responsibility to do so, and that it is time for the Beaumont to move forward. They disagree, in every case, as to how these goals can be accomplished. Segal sees expenditures for staff and unrealized plans as wasteful; Crinkley maintains that you "can't expect donors to support a white elephant, so we have to change the white elephant".

When the Beaumont first opened, a disgruntled performer compared its backstage corridors to the Titanic and suggested that the most appropriate use for the main auditorium was to fill it with water and put a whale in it. "Obviously, a big power struggle is going on" observes Edward Albee, the playwright-in-residence. "I don't know what the problem is. But I think there is a problem we don't know about." Whichever side finally emerges as Ahab and which the Great White Whale, the Beaumont saga is shaping up as a tale of Moby Dick proportions.

Theatre



Miyvy: Graham Walters (left), Linda Coggin, Ben Keaton

### Week of Mime

Never a lover of mime, I found the double-bill opening the Shaw's mime week unexpectedly appealing. The Trestle Theatre Company and the Mivvy Company acts are short (half an hour each) but remind you that mime can be as witty and adult as ballet - encouraging since Camden's policy for the theatre includes making it a major mime venue.

Trestle, a group of four, use marvellous full-face masks which create personality without limiting it. In Hanging Around, three boys play loafing punks or skinheads while the girl alternates a variety of either-sex supporting roles.

Even in a rough city-centre environment - a vandalized phone box, a public convenience awaiting similar treatment and a beach with its commemorative plaque and most of its back ripped off there is gradation of character. The Mohican-type punk with a numb, desolate mask communicates with a mate largely by mutual costume-ripping (established as reassuring ritual) and behaves decently towards a defenceless pensioner or a mooning boy scout with an Ordnance Survey map.

Not so the guffawing skin-head in Union Jack T-shirt. squirting paint over grandpa's family photos, imprisoning the scout in the phone booth and selling the Mohican stolen lavatory chains for use as an Noël Goodwin expressive trouser pendant.
The Shaw management may

have chosen mime as a wideappeal art; work like this. observant without being negative, has special local value. It is also really funny. In a wild male trio, putting the boot in, if only into thin air, becomes an absurd but highly significant self-ex-pressive dance. The briefly-appearing girl who gets ap-proached, pinches a boy's calf in contemptuous appraisal and calmly knees the skinhead in humour by the absence of facial

Mivvy, in Exposed, don evening dress (no masks) for an equally ironic eye on the tragicomedies of social behaviour. General smiles out front switch to frostiness or embarrassment towards each other as individuals; then, standing uncomfortably alone, they adopt increasingly artificial postures that will probably have you monitoring yourself in a mirror at your next party.

With flirtation, misunderstanding, rejected appeals for attention and the like they have struck a rich seam which this piece does not completely exploit. There are longueurs, but also good images brought off with precision. Ben Keaton, the less smooth

of the boys, gets one poor sequence but also a lovely ssage pathetically mimicking the body language of a couple who are hitting it off and subsequently, made to crouch by Graham Walters for Linda Coggin to use as a chair, taking a sly revenge by creeping quietly away from beneath her.

Anthony Masters graphed costume changes but it rarely achieved the edge of

there was a risk that insurers might

### Television

The truth of fable One of Ourselves (BBC 1) may Cyril Cusack as Quigley: be is a have seemed a romantic true imp of the perverse, and account of Ireland in the Fifties there is a quality in his acting but that hardly mattered; William Trevor's stories are the Irish character. invested with a melancholy if Mr. Trever's script managed implicitly to convey the constrictions of Irish life, and it is sardonic grace which affords them the truth of fable rather than of ordinary reality. Last night's drama, made by the from these that his comedy as same group who produced The Ballroom of Romance, con-cerned a rite of passage: John

Stephen Mason, as the boy, was consistently right in the part - he drank his first glass of porter with the detached con-centration of someone at prayer. But the palm must go to

Joe, at 15, leaves school and

joins the adult community. In

the repressive prurience of "ourselves". At the end, John

Joe lies in bed with a white

had fashioned a winding cloth

for his own childhood.

et over him - just as if he

true imp-of the perverse, and which suggests the incipient wildness, the distractedness, of

well as his lyricism spring. This was a small town made up of curved rooms crammed with objects (although on occasions the production offered so much wealth of detail that one might the process he abandons Quig-wealth of detail that one might ley, an excentric vagrant, whose have been looking at a series of infantile but cheerful artitude museum exhibits), and of towards sex is contrasted with narrow streets: the inhabitants seem to have burrowed out of the world. There was a wonderful scene in the local cinema where, as Anna Karenina is shown, they glance sideways at each other in their warm darkness. But Mr Trevor's stories are always touched by wonder, and it is from this in the end that they derive their

Peter Ackroyd

### Jazz

**Woody Herman** Ronnie Scott's

John Stevens 100 Club

At first sight, the Young Thundering Herd looked like just another example of a cadre cheaply assembled by an aging bandleader from the ranks of this year's US music school graduates: all chops and no charm. An hour later, one's

mind had been changed In the creative sease, this is not an outfit to match Woody Herman's celebrated Herds of the 1940s, the seed-bed for such great improvisers as Stan Getz, Zoot Sims, Sonny Berman and Serge Chaloff. The leader, bowever, has a nice way of dealing with his own history, and the enthusiasm of his youthful sidemen revivities many of the chestnuts.

From the vaults came "Early Autumn", Ralph Burns's tran-quil ballad, with Herman's keen alto and Frank Tiberi's swagger-ing tenor; Jimmy Giuffre's "Four Brothers", its classic saxophone writing joyfully re-enacted by the current quartet before Mike Brignola peeled off to deliver the first of several meaty baritone solos; and "Laura", which Herman sang in a light, artless way, like Chet Baker's dad. Paul Mazzio's flugelhorn added the lace trimming to a velvet "Come

Rain or Come Shine" which was alone worth the price of admission, and the eleverly interlocked figures of Bill Holman's "Midnight Run"

gave the five trumpeters an opportunity to show off their aerobic skills. Tiberi's transcription of "Countdown", one of John Coltrane's densest improvis-

ations, just about made up in panache for what it lacked in precision, and the only serious breach of taste and idiom came during an arrangement of Copland's "Fanfare for the Common Man" done up in the bombastic disco-boogaloo style of Eumir Deodato's "Also Sprach Zarathustra". Monday evening was also

enlivened by a very worthwhile testimonial to the drummer and bandleader John Stevens. whose work over two decades with the Spontaneous Music Ensemble has done much to encourage young musicians and the development in Britain of jazz-derived free improvisation. The saxophonists Evan Parker and Lol Coxhill, the pianist Howard Riley and the bassist Barry Guy were among those. who gave their performances in tribute; a long, loose jam by a large group including Jon Corbett (cornet), the impressive Martin Holder (guitar) and Stu Butterfield (drums) seemed perfectly to summarize Stevens's own indomitable musical losophy.

**Richard Williams** 

### Rock danger which characterizes their

**Eurythmics** Hammersmith Palais

by the group of the same name. Cuthell's crisp mute trumpet. This year Eurythmics' ascendance has only been matched by that of Culture Club. The group "Who's That Girl?", "Never. and the irrepressible voice of wealth of expert material, songs with genuine dramatic qualities that are rarely heard in the glossy confines of pop.

Their London date was more of an affirmation than a celebration of Eurythmics' strengths, perhaps because the early numbers like "Here Comes the Rain Again" and "This Is The House" cast them in reflective mood. The concert was a smooth ride across Eurythmics' revamped stage show with its cunning use of lights, slides and highly choreo-

best nights. There was no cause for dissatisfaction when Lennox and her backing girls, the Three Croquettes, locked tight on the The harmony and proportion more aggressive moments of which the dictionary defines as eurythmics do not do justice to soulful equation of taste and the enormous success enjoyed simplicity, enhanced by Dick

are fronted by the Multi-instru-Gonna Cry Again" and the mental talents of Dave Stewart classic "Love is a Stranger". Then one could appreciate the Annie Lennox, a singer of huge seamless qualities of the en-range and emotional power. semble, Dean Garcia's jazzy The pair, aided by a top-class bass, the atmospheric synihs live band, are also sitting on a and Stewart's guitar virtuosity. There was no real disappoint

ment either when the band encored with their Atlantic soul-flavoured "Wrap It Up" or the clever African influenced single "Right By Your Side". If the performance ended with Lennox playing flute on a slightly overwrought version of "Jennifer", one which lacked its usual emotional impact, I am sure the audience were not complaining. I am also sure that Eurythmics will reserve their best for the final Scottish dates of this tour. It has been a momentous year after all.

**Oueen's Bench Division** 

Max Bell

### Court of Appeal

### **Minimising** loss to insured property

Co Ltd Lord Justice Eveleigh, Lord Justice

Griffiths and Lord Justice Dillon [Judgment delivered November 17] An assured person should be

entitled to recover under a sue and labour clause of an all risks policy, all extraordinary expenses reasonably incurred by him to avert or and recovered all but two of their insured, where he could demon-The Court of Appeal so held, proportion of 41.15 per cent.

dismissing an appeal by the defendants, British Traders Insurance Company Ltd. sued on their gave judgment for the plaintiffs, integrated Container Service Inc. lan Hunter, QC, and Mr Bruce Reynolds for the defendants.

LORD JUSTICE EVELEIGH said in a reserved judgment that in June 1972 the plaintiffs entered into an agreement whereby they leased container and trailer equipment to Oyama Shipping Company Ltd. Oyama's business was in the Far East and they moved cargo to and from Japan. Taiwan and the Phillipines where they had depots. In 1975 Oyama had 1.016 containers on hire, their replace-

Integrated Container Service and \$3,000 each. Oyama as bailees were responsible for their safekeeping and were required to keep them In July 1975 Oyama were found

The policy they were required to provide had lapsed through non-

containers, spending \$123,943. The plaintiffs claimed against the strate that a prudent assured person defendants \$53,777 by virtue of a mindful of an obligation to prevent a loss would incur expense of an unusual kind.

sue and labour clause contained in an all risks policy to which the unusual kind.

At the beginning of the rescue operation some of the containers vere in active use while others lay own behalf and on behalf of other on the quayside and in warehouses. subscribing underwriters, against a Port dues had been incurred in decision on April 22, 1982, of Judge relation to some and warehouse Stabb. QC, one of the official charges were mounting in relation referees of the Supreme Court, who to others which thus became the subject of a lien for those dues and

Mr Anthony Colman, QC, and Mr Peter Irvin for the plaintiffs; Mr of payments made in respect of of payments made in respect of customs and storage charges, the cost of transhipment to Oyama

depots and the removal from there to the plaintiffs' depots, the to the plaintiffs' depots, the travelling expenses of those engaged in the rescue work and legal fees for advice obtained from Japanese The official referee accepted that

the expenditure was necessarily incurred to prevent loss or damage which the sue and labour clause applied and gave judgment for the

Cover was provided by a marine insurance policy entitled "The Institute of London Underwriters. Companies Combined Policy" which included a sue and labour clause authorizing the plaintiffs "in case of any loss or misfortune . . . 10 sue labour and travel for...the defence safeguard and recovery of the ... goods and merchandises, or any part thereof without prejudice to this assurance".

The plaintiffs had let their

containers on hire to a company that was trading effectively and was in a position to maintain the necessary organization to look after them and perform the duties imposed on them in their capacity

When as a result of their insolvency they ceased to operate they were no longer a bailec capable of taking care of the goods. The containers were effectively abandoned by their custodians and were consequently exposed to the risk of that he faile theft, misuse, enforcement of a lien have done. in other words to the risk of loss or

the plaintiffs had established the it could not be right that insurers

existence of a threat of loss or should be able to exact from the damage. No matter if that threat assured a higher degree of proof resulted from the insolvency of the lessee, they were entitled to recover moneys laid out to avert a loss which might result from a variety of

The defendants used the jud-gment of Lord Justice Brett in Lohre v Attchison ((1878) 3 QBD 558, 566) to support a submission that in order to recover under a sue and labour clause the plaintiffs must show that they took extraordinary measures to prevent a loss which would very probably have occurred within the currency of the policy so that the underwriters would have

been hable to pay for it.

They contended that the official referee failed to ask whether the loss would very probably have occurred and alternatively that there was no evidence on which he could so hold. The Marine Insurance Act 1906 provided by section 78(4): "It is the

duty of the assured and his agents. in all cases, to take such measures as may be reasonable for the purpose of averting or minimising a loss".
While it was not possible to state with certainty all the adverse consequences which would be suffered by an assured who failed to perform his duty under the sue and labour clause, there was no doubt that he incurred a risk of his claim for loss or damage being rejected in whole or in part if it could be shown

If insurers were to have the right damage from some cause or to call upon the assured to take all another.

Since the policy covered all risks es of averting or minimising a loss.

that he failed to act when he should

that purpose. There was nothing in the clause or statute which required the assured to show that a loss would "very probably" have occurred.

To demand such a high degree of proof as contended for by the defendants would place an assured in a dilemma. He would have to make up his mind whether he could satisfy that burden or do nothing and take the risk that insurers would be able to show that he should have acted in defence of the goods.

The words of section 78 of the 1906 Act seemed to impose a duty

to act in circumstances where a reasonable man intent upon preserving his property as opposed to claiming upon insurers would act.
It should not be possible for insurers to contend that upon an ultimate investigation and analysis even probable was not "very probable". of the facts, a loss while possible or Someone had to be trusted to be

reasonable in that situation and the insurers had imposed that responsi-bility on the assured. From the point of view of insurers, they wished to encourage the assured to act expeditiously in an emergency where there was a risk of their having to meet a claim.

The nature and degree of the risk would determine what measures were reasonable to avert it.
Therefore the sue and labour clause entitled the assured to recover the cost of such measures as were reasonably taken for the purpose of

have to bear that loss.
It was not open to insurers by searching inquiries and and detailed analysis to assert that as a matter of ultimate truth they would never Arbitrator not have been liable. Lord Justice Dillon delivered a concurring judgment.

### Factual basis of director's responsibility

Department of Health and Social Security v Evans and Under section 152(4) of the Social

Security Act 1975, the question whether any individual director of a company could reasonably be expected to have known" of that company's failure to pay national insurance contributions was a question of fact which in each case would probably depend on the nature of that director's position and responsibility in regard to the management of the company and the relevant information known to that director, Mr Justice Hirst held in the Queen's Bench Division on November 17. His Lordship dismissed a claim

by the Department of Health and Social Security against three directors of McIntyre (Contractors) Ltd, following the company's conviction under section 146(1) of

the 1975 Act for failing to pay national insurance contributions amounting to £11,511.27. jurisdiction and the award was without any force. The award would be amended by deleting the relevant words in the title and backsheet.

### entitled Solicitors: Elborne Mitchell & Co; to exceed brief Phoesician Express SARL v Garware Shipping Corporation

An arbitrator appointed under an arbitration clause in a charterparty between the shipowners, Garware Shipping Corp Ltd. and the charterers, Phoenician Express SARL, who made a finding that the charterers had changed their name and name appropriate of Phoenician

and were now trading as Phoenician Lines SARL had made finding of fact which affected his jurisdiction and accordingly, the form of his award exceeded or might exceed his jurisdiction, Mr Justice Hobbouse held in open court on November 22 after a hearing in the Queen's Bench Division (Commercial Court) in chambers.
HIS LORDSHIP said that the

problem arose from the title of the award and the words on the backsheet of the award which read an arbitration between the owners and "Phoenician Express SARL of Being and Phoenician Express SARL of the same are Beirut, now trading as Phoenician The arbitrator only had the jurisdiction given to him by the arbitration agreement, which bound the parties to it and no one else. In so far as the arbitrator made an award against Phoenician line.

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**P&O** shares

for Sterling

advantage of this week's

weakness in the share price.

Word in the market yes-terday suggested he had bought a further Imilion to 1.5 million shares in P&O

through his own brokers and now owns about 4 per cent in the company. This latest buying spree was greeted

with a firm "no comment". But the stake, worth

£3.72m, may prove crucial if

Trafalgar House decides to pursue its original £290m bid once the Monopolies Com-

mission gives the go-ahead.

The rest of the equity market enjoyed a prosperous day, although turnover remained at a low ebb. The FT

It looks as though Mr Jeffrey Sterling, the newly appointed chairman of Pen-insula & Oriental, has taken

# FINANCE AND INDUSTRY

**Executive Editor Kenneth Fleet** 

# Perfect match that failed to reach the altar

With so many outside suitors chasing so many attractive Stock Exchange damsels, there are bound to be a few disappointments. Nonetheless, yesterday's terse announcement that talks between Exco International and Wood Mackenzie had been abruptly called off is something of a supprise. The two seemed a perfect business match.

Exco, although known as a money broker, has already assembled most of the other pieces needed to construct an interlocking financial services jigsaw. First came the Far East dealing business of the old W.I. Carr stockroking firm. Then Exco bought a 50.1 per cent stake in Gartmore Management, a highly respected investment house controlling £1.5 billion of funds. What it needed was a stockbroking firm with a strong business for City institutions and top-rate research backup.

Peter ich

Wood Mackenzie, the broker which made its name in North Sea oil and stormed London from Edinburgh, fits that bill perfectly. But a good idea does not make a deal.

The talks had been going on for three months before the two decided it was not going to work. From the buying side, Mr John unn, chief executive of Exco International, has already made plain his distaste for the "fancy" prices he had been quoted by other brokers he sounded out before plying his suit with Wood Macken-

Mr John Chiene of Wood Mackenzie had his own problems. Unlike the stockjobbing firm Akroyd & Smithers, a quoted company, or Vickers da Costa, long a limited partnership with non-Stock Exchange interests, Wood Mackenzie is a more conventional 37-man partnership. Any scheme would have to be tax-efficient and allow for the partners' continuing interests.

These things may well prove a stumbling block for other brokers. As it is, neither side seems put off by the unhappy experience and each will probably pursue alternative deals.

Wood Mackenzie, which ranks seventh overall among stock brokers and has a reputation at least to match, can afford to ponder its ambitions. Exco can look at other brokers with comparable reputations and a strong base of instritutional share and gilt-edged business such as Scrimgeour Kemp-Gee and James Capel or,



John Gunn; distaste for 'fancy prices' given its already strong connexions, opt to help build up a more humble member of

the Stock Exchange fraternity.

Meanwhile, the Stock Exchange still has

to find out what a straightforward top-class broker may now be worth. Outsiders paid 12 times earnings for Akroyd, more than 15 (on a three year average) for Vickers da Costa. But there is still plenty of haggling to come.

### Old habits die hard at Abbey

As expected, there was no dreamlike beginning yesterday for Abbey National's life as a free agent outside the building society cartel.

Having banked some useful publicity from speculation that the society would go it alone with a preemptive cut in the mortgage rate, the Abbey board prudently decided to leave well alone until at least the next meeting in two weeks.

The latest money supply figures had effectively dished hopes of an early cut from the present 11.25 per cent, but the continuing unrequited detailed for new mortgages - described by the Abbey as stronger than usual at this time of the year - provided another contributory factor.

The episode demonstrates clearly enough that breaking loose from the cartel in practice is going to be much harder than

# Locking up the debts chain

going concern finally seems likely to materialize this week. Quite apart from the facts of the matter, the problem was always going to be that each part of the package depended on another, so that a mammoth amount of talk and coordination has been needed to produce both the chicken and the egg sumultaneously.

The most crucial element was agreement by the International Monetary Fund and Brazil on an economic package which would satisfy enough people for the IMF to resume loan payments.

Since M. Jacques de Lorosière, the IMF's managing director, had made approval more or less a resigning issue, despite Brazil's backsliding on wages, yesterday's crucial IMF meeting in Washington seemed a foregone con-

clusion. In Europe, Mr Fritz Leutwiler, of the Bank for International Settlements, joined with a thumbs-up for the total \$11 billion

The latest package of new money and rescheduling to keep Brazil as a financially commercial banks. The \$2.5 billion of government-backed export credits is assured despite Britain's non-partici-

And the rescheduling talks through the Paris Club have started well enough, though there is still some bargaining over terms to come.

It could all still fall apart. Although more than 300 bankers have committed all but \$500m of their \$6.5 billion new money, half of that is formally conditional on the remaining smaller banks.

Organizers like Morgan Guaraity and

Lloyds have still to mount a massive exercise in persuasion over the next three weeks, to meet the December deadline. Now Brazil must pay the price. Its national income will fall 6 to 7 per cent

this year, trade has been balanced almost solely by cutting imports yet inflation is still 200 per cent rather than the promised 150 per cent and more action will be

### **NEWS IN BRIEF**

Shell and Esso are believed to be looking again at the possi-bility of developing two North Sea oil fields, Tern and Eider, shelved last year because of falling prices and high taxation.

The recent firming of prices coupled with the Budget oil tax concession have put the two projections - with the combined reserves of 250 million barrels back in the potentially commercial bracket.

• Metal Box, Britain's leading

packaging company, reported interim pretax profits of £34.5m yesterday against £15.9m at the comparable stage last year. The group will benefit from a £40m windfall in the second half of the year when the proceeds from the reorganization of its South African subsidiaries are remitted to Britain. Page 19

Amersham International has

announced a 21 per cent increase in interim pretax profits to £6.4m for the halfyear to end September. Turn-over rose to £41.3m from £33.7m a year ago and the interim dividend is being raised 15.2 per cent to 1.9p net. The shares fell 2p to 228p, yielding 2.6 per cent. Page 19

broker and underwriter, yester-day reported half-time net profits to September up 17 per cent at £5.35m. Brokerage income increased 15 per cent, to £14.2m, but with investment income in that sector down 23

Mr Robert Holmes àCourt's Bell Group is raising A\$22m in Australia for extra woking capital by placing 4 million shares at A\$5.50. Mr Holmes of regional aid.. aCourt, who owns Associated Communications Corporation through Bell Group and has built up a big stake in Fleet Holdings, will take up 1 million

### A T & T new shares lead Dow advance

New York (AP Dow Jones) -Wall Street stocks maintained the advances chalked up in early trading yesterday, in a continuation of Monday's rally.

The Dow Jones Industrial average was up about 6.5 points to 1,275. The Transportation average was up about 1.5 points and the Utility index up nearly 1 point

Trading was again heavy in the shares of the "new" AT & T and the seven units it is 10 55%, spinning off on January 1. Dupo Professional traders and arbitragers dominated the action. AT & T when issue, up 35%, up the most active NYSE issue, up Nekoosa

364. AT & T "eld" stock was third, up 1/2 to 64.

> Dupont was 53%, up 1/4; Minnesota Mining 88 off 1/4; International Paper 57%, up 1/4; Mead 40, unchanged; St Regis

### WALL STREET

American Telephone was up 1/4 at 64%; International Business Machiness off 1/2 at 124; ½ Exxon up ½ to 37½; General Electric unchanged at 56½; Texas Instruments off ½ to 1354 Control Data up % to 44% and McDonnell Douglas up 1/4

ne most active NYSE issue, up 35½, up ½; Great Northern to 18¼.

Polaroid was second, up ½ to Motors 77½, unchanged

### Ralph Halpern: bonus will be

# Tebbit says SE Council will have five non-members

Mr Cecil Parkinson, whose initiative it was to allow the

The Government moved yesterday to exempt the Stock Exchange from action under the Restrictive Practices Act and to end a four-year battle over its

Presenting the exemption Bill Mr Norman Tebbit, Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, allow change under supervision and to meet the needs of the would be sitting on the Stock Exchange ruling council before

Since the Summer a number the end of next month and that of American banks and British within two days the Exchange will unveil details allowing nonmembers to become directors of stockbroking firms. Mr Tebbit firms in which they have a said: "There were some who

The Government move effect slow - now our critics say these tively allows the Exchange to are too swift."
reform itself under the guidance He denied of the Bank of England rather ment had sold out the interests than have changes forced on it of the investor or the country to the Restrictive Practices the interests of the City. Mr Tebbit said the Stock Exchange half years. E

refused to grant any exemption could raise fresh finance.

**Burton goes** 

into fast

food field

The Burton Group is to branch into the fast food

business by opening an experi-

mental restaurant above a

combined Top Man and Top Shop store due to open soon in

Burton bought the 60,000 sq

ft store on a prime site, from F W Woolworth which is rationa-

lizing its property portfolio

under its new management. Mr Paul Plant, Burton's retail

director, said yesterday he believed the 15 to 25 age group which shopped at Top Man and

Top Shop also used restaurants

Full year profits from the company which includes Burton, Jackson, Top Man, Dorothy Perkins, Top Shop, Evans

and Peter Robinson, show the

expected jump in profits from £24.3m to £39.1m.

The increase is reflected in a

big increase in incentive pay-

ments under a bonus scheme

which increased from £2.5m to £4.8m paid to 8,700 executives and employees - 87 per cent of

The directors will share in the

man, would receive £250,000.
Mr Mike Wood, the finance director, said Mr Halperns share "will be relatively mod-

would appear in the annual

Mr Wood also said the

company was not worried by its

failure to buy Richard Shops

and John Collier to help it expand. He said that Richard

Shops have a total floorspace of

500,000 sq ft and it has already

added a further 140,000 sq ft:

last year Burton increased its

floor space by 140,000 sq ft and

t has aircady added a further

140,000 sq ft this financial year.

It claims it will be the most

aggressive buyer of shop prop-

Last year the group increased

its overall market share by about 0.5 per cent to 4.5 per

cent. It holds about 3 per cent of

the womenswear market and 5

Net margins have improved

from 6 per cent in 1980 to 12.6

per cent last year. Cash in the

bank has risen from £11m to

£18m and Burton can draw on substantial overdraft facilities if

it needs to make a bis

per cent of menswear.

acquisition.

erty in the country this year.

Mr Halpern added i

like McDonalds.

during the summer after four the Government could sell giltsuccessive trade secretaries had edged stocks and companies

Group, starts afresh with £22m of new capital, a new name, and

From December 12 the

present holding company, Antony Gibbs Holdings, will be called Wardley London Hold-

ings, while the subsidiary Antony Gibbs & Sons will become Wardley London Ltd. Wardley is the name of the

Hongkong group's main mer-chant bank. Most of the Antony

Gibbs subsidiaries will undergo

a similar name change.

The capital injection will bring shareholders' funds to

Tom Welsh, believes will be

sufficient to support, for some

years, a concerted move to increase the volume of conven-

tional merchant banking busi-

On the day that the changes

of name became effective the bank will start trading from 71,000 square feet of the new

Cutiers Gardens complex at 7,

the bank's revitalization.

new offices.

were not to shield the exchange

from the need for reform but to

institutions have been in talks to take stakes in London

feared that change would be too

He denied that the Govern-

Exchange to reform itself, sat silent in the House during the debate.

Mr Tebbit said the reforms

Norman Tebbit: no sell-out

capacity could not long survive

In July, commissions were to be abolished over two-and-a-Tebbit said the Stock Exchange half years. But it is now likely that these would go on a set date uring the summer after four the Government could sell giltonce the groundwork was done. "What is referred to as the big bang approach," he said.
With the abolition of com-

to the Stock Exchange.

The most important reform With the abolition of commissions, there have been fears spokesman on trade and indus-abolition of minimum comtat the entire Stock Exchange try called the intervention a missions, he said. There were system of single capacity would scandal.

those who believed that single need to change. Mr Tebbit said:

But the potential of a merchant bank in London, very

much at the heart of the changes

sweeping through the financial

world, could not be exploited

until the parent digest Marine Midland Bank, seen its bid for

the Royal Bank of Scotland

blocked by the Monpolies and

Merges Commission, and sor-

Hongkong.

Gibbs bank reborn

under new name

By Michael Prest

owned by the Hongkong Bank the house needs improvement.

capacity must go it will not be for me to stand in the way, but I would want adequate safeguards for investors before any change was made.

"I think the Stock Exchange

could design such safeguards if it wanted single capacity to go."

Turning to critics who view the change as a scilout to foreigners, Mr Tebbit said that a number of British institutions have also been making overtures to Stock Exchange firms.

As part of the reforms, a quarter of the ruling council—which now stands at 46 members - will be made up of non-Exchange members. Five of these will be appointed before the New Year. The Exchange will also establish an appeal body made up entirely of outsiders who will listen to those whose membership has been rejected, with powers to overrule the council's decision.

Non-members will also sit on the Exchange's disciplinary appeal body. The non-members are also to be allowed to become directors of member firms where their own companies own a substantial stake,

# STOCK EXCHANGES Fed blamed

A new merchant banking tives, including the acting chief force will be launched in executive, Mr Rowan Lauder, London next month when from Wardley Hongkong, frank-Antony Gibbs, the small house ly admit that the reputation of

ary policy is too tight.

A Commerce Department spokesman said real gross national product grew at a revised rate of 7.7 per cent in the third quarter, down from an carlier "flash estimate" of 7.9

ted out its own problems in

The new Wardley London, however, is designed to take advantage of the changes its executives see emerging over the next few years. While the core of the correction will be the The revised third quarter £40m, which the chairman, Mr core of the operation will be the corporate finance which is the traditional role of merchant banks. Wardley will offer the full range of services in money

transactions, capital markets, and export finance. Mr Ric Smith, the merchant bank's managing director, sees coporate finance as being the catalyst for the other activities.

bonus, which is less than 10 per cent of the total wage roll, but denied speculation that Mr Ralph Halpern, Burton's chair-remainded acceive £250,000. the City, as an integral part of source of business. It hopes to be able to attract customers Antony Gibbs's senior execu- such as central banks

### European companies join to fight unitary tax

By Andrew Cornelius

Europe's leading companies urged the US Government to have joined forces to prenest weigh the views of foreign-against the imposition of owned corporations equally unitary taxation measures in the with those of US companies US which can lead to double doing business overseas. taxation of profits earned by Mr Robert Smith, spokesman for Crisis, said in Washington yesterday: "Many foreign com-

Crisis, the new organization International, BP, Plessey, Fiat, Olivetti, Renault, Michelin and

Daimler-Benz. In a statement to the US Treasury Department which is holding hearings on the tax, the unitary taxation issue since Crisis – the Committee to the US Supreme Court upheld the state of California's right to Stable Investment System - use the method last Junc.

panies started doing business in formed to lobby against unitary the US with the impression that taxation, is backed by a the Federal Government, not powerful grouping of companies the individual states, was the which includes Barclays Bank final authority with regard to corporate taxation. Foreign investors expect the US to speak with one voice on tax

Controversy has surrounded

# as growth slows in US

From Bailey Morris Washington

American economy slowed during the third quarter, according to revised figures released yesterday by the Reagan Administration, fyelling fears of sone high-level officials that the central Bank's monet-

per cent.

figures compared with growth in the April-June quarter of 9.7 per cent. Corporate profits, while still strong, also slowed in the third quarter with a gain of 11.6 per cent, down from after-tax profit growth of 17.6 per cent in the second quarter of the

The latest figures drew a sharp response from White House and Congressional officials who have complained in recent weeks that the policies of the US Federal Reserve Board, America's central bank, are endangering a sustained

recovery.

High-level officials, including
Mr Donald Regan, the Treasury Secretary and Mr Larry Speakes, the White House spokesman, have publicly warned Mr Paul Volcker, the central bank chairman, not to allow money supply growth to slow significantly.

But Mr Volcker made clear 3 month dollar 9.345-9.145

yesterday his belief that the Federal Reserve Board is following the right course in continuing to hold down inflation while allowing a moder-

ate recovery.

His remarks underscored the growing policy debate in Washington over whether the huge US deficit or the central bank's restrictive policies are the cause of continuing high US interest rates.

Mr Jack Kemp, a conserva-tive Congressmen from New York, recently joined 49 of his colleaghes in signing a letter to Mr Volcker warning that the recovery could fizzle out before the presidential elections if montary policy were not eased.

Monetary policy is delivberately being kept unnecessarily tight and the economic expansion held hostage to at tax increase." the congressmen claimed in their letter.

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### Index closed at its high for the day 5.3 up at 724.0, helped by the overnight surge on Wall Street. In the gilt market the issue of a new £500m of "tap" stock has made little Market report, page 18

FT Index: 725.7 up 6.9 FT Gilts: 83.46 up 0.21 FT All Share: 453.36 up 1.41 Bargains; 20,013
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Frankfurt: Commerzbank Index 1003.3 up 3.8 Brussels: General Index 126.73 up 0.45 Paris: CAC Index 145.5 up

**CURRENCIES** 

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London fixed (per ounce): am \$375.80 pm \$376.50 close \$376.50 (£256.00) New York latest \$377:25 Krugerrand\* (per coin): \$387-388.50 (£263.25-264.25) Sovereigns\* (new): \$88-89 (259.75-60.50) \*Excludes VAT

### Incentive raises £16m

By Our Financial Staff

Incentive, part of the Wallen- sold on to investors with

berg Group of Scandinavia, has 10 per cent of LKB-Produkter to raise Kr 190m The buyers are international

LKB is a supplier of instruments, reagents and systems for research laboratories in the chemical field.

Enskilda Securities and then Kr 40.2m.

secondary placing.
Incentive will own 61 per cent of LKB after the placing.
LKB has three product companies based at Cambridge and investors based mainly in in Sweden and Finland.

from Kr 267m in 1978 to Kr 527m last year largely with the rapid growth of its markets with the biotechnology revolution. The shares were bought by Profits increased from Kr 9m to

Chambers of Commerce join call for change

# Fight to redraw the map for regional aid

Chambers of Commerce is the latest organization to join the discussion on regional policy and to suggest ways in which the Government can more effectively channel state aid into the sectors of the economy that are most in need and likely to derive the greatest benefit.

small and medium sized busi-

that properly and fairly assists the more disadvantaged areas will need to take into account and be affected by other elements of national industrial policy.

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social need. But, it says, the investment

The £700m a year saved from scheme, which the association wants abolished, should not be the source of these funds,

industrial areas, and expanded eradicate inner city blackspots.
The association wants the grant money to go into the coffers of the Industrial Develextend the provisions of Section 7 to cover the entire country

future. The association calls for a period of consultation after the publication of the White Paper and before the country is Two exceptions are ident- presented irrevocably with a

### J Hepworth & Son plc A RECORD YEAR

### GROUP RESULTS Years to 31st August (amount in thousands) 1982 1983 Group turnover (excl. VAT) 83,370 98,603 Profit before tax 8,561 3,860 Profit after tax 6,426 3,977 808 1,529 Extraordinary items (net) Profit after tax and extraordinary items (net) 7,234 5,506 Earnings per ordinary 10p

- extraordinary items) 14.47p 8.96p Profit before tax increased by 121%-a Group
- A year of considerable change has seen the phenomenal growth of Next, the Group's womens-wear chain, and a substantial refurbishment of Hepworths menswear shops.
- Dividend is increased by 37½%. Revaluation of property portfolio showed a
- surplus of £6m. Borrowings have been paid off. Club 24 continues to flourish and has improved its
- contribution to profits. Assets per share have now risen to 252p.
- There is every reason to be encouraged by the prospects ahead.

Richard I

C E Heath, the insurance per cent, profits fell 6 per cent. Underwriting profits soared 56 per cent to £3.86m. Page 19

The 86 chambers in the association comprise mostly

The Association of British policy. That new policy will be estic rate increases, hambers of Commerce is the enshrined in a White Paper vigorous action against which, by all accounts, will have green margins to allow for a further vital period of consultation. It seems clear that any policy

foreign competition and un-reasonable barriers to British exports, and, most important, more investment in transport systems. One of the examples quoted

Airport which says the associ-Rail's main lines to the North

must come through capital grants and should not be

however. In particular, the regions - and South, would benefit the and their unemployment rates - North of England generally.

Would be affected considerably infrastructure investment that either the Treasury or local by more capital spending on should be geared to regional authorities (which are now

radical rethink of regional mobility, a curb on non-dom- effective way of stimulating ified: fulfilling demand for redrawn industrial map.

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partner at Wishart Brodie, admitted Y & L had bought a stake, but refused to say how much the terms were worth. However, Mr Allison admitted that they had been agreed by both parties, but were still

subject to approval by the Stock Exchange Council. The deal follows similar arrangements with Securities Pacific, which has taken a 29.9 per cent stake in broker Hoare Govet, Citibank which is taking a stake in Vickers da Costas, RIT which owns 29.9 per cent of Kitest & Aitken, and Mercury Securities which is buying 29.9 per cent in London's biggest quoted jobbers Akroyd & Smithers. kroyd & Smithers.

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MARKET REPORT • by Michael Clark Trust buys into broker

influence in the run up to the dramatic switch to dual ca-ACCOUNT DAYS: Dealings Began, Nov 14. Dealings end, Nov 25. Contango Day, Nov 28. Settlement Day, Dec 5. of trends in the run-up to at the longer end of the market. In to 126p after announcing its Christmas. The Chancellor's Dealers hope that the new short £1.2m acquisition of a private words of encouragement over "tap" announced on Monday

pacity and minimum com-Yesterday the Yorkshire & Lancashire Investment Trust words of encouragement over "tap" announced on Monday security compnay with offices took a 10 per cent stake in the the economy have meant little will be oversubscribed, but this stretching from Birmingham to Lancashire Investment Trust firm, adding 1p to the shares at to the hardened campaigners. appears doubtful in some Glasgow. Mr Alan Baldwin, 47/2p. Mr Stuart Allison, a Attention remained focused on Licensed dealers Harvard Se-

curities has made its first venture into the Unlisted Securities Market with the placing of 4.2 million shares in Brewmaker, the D-I-Y beer and wine group, at 33.25p a share. Forecasting pretax profits of £600,000 for the year the group is looking for an opening price of about 40p in first time dealings.

specialist situations and bids with the FT Index closing at its high for the day 6.9 up at 725.7 helped by the renewed strength on Wall Street.

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Among the leaders Glaxo added 13p to 750p on yester-day's reports in The Times of a meeting at Broker Buckmster & Moore and a possible bullish brokers circular within the next

The United Kingdom's big-

gest cement producer Blue Circle also rose 10p to 428p on hopes of an imminent price rise.
Blue Circle's big US competitor
Lone Star has been over in
London and is looking for an
increase in raw materials of 15 unemployment has given a boost to the employment agencies. Yesterday it was the turn of Brook St Bureau 8p placing of shares by broker last time.

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the year's high of 38p on hopes of a bumper set of figures this year. At the interim stage the group reported pretax profits up from £272,000 to £609,000 with the market looking for more than film for the year. The group, already sitting on about £300,000 in cash, is looked upon by some dealers as a possible takeover candidate since Ferguson Industrial Holdings sold its 22.7 per cent stake

in August. Francis Industries added a further 2p to 67p reflecting Mr

ended the day 1p dearer at 76p. In stores jobbers were caught purchase and says it would have short in Woolworth 23p higher at 305p. Dealers are now looking for a bumper Christmas which could see pretax profits

The rest of the equity market funds continued to boost gilts Over on the Unlisted Securispent a quiet day still uncertain which ended the day 75p higher ties Market Securiguard added continued to hover just below earlier in the week.

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# INVESTORS' NOTEBOOK • edited by Michael Prest

# Productivity pays off at Metal Box

Efficiency is the order of the day at Metal Box. Britain's leading packaging group. Yesterday's interim figures showed a dramatic increase in pretax profits from £15.9m to £34.5m. compared with the same stage last year, with almost all the improvement credited to incres-es in productitivy, particularly in Britain

The group has coped well with a combination of technoli-gical change and world re-cession which threatened its existence as the dominant supplier of cans and packaging to the British food and drink industries. More than 12,000 jobs have disappeared leaving Metal Box with 22,000 employees in Britain. The group has been investing between £50m and £60m a year in new plant and equipment, with half of this in Britain.

The result is that the group is making as many cans as it did in 1979 with half the employees. Factories supplying the drinks industry are working flat out, and there is little slack on the

Efforts to contain costs include asking shareholders to vote next year on the appointment of a new firm of auditors to take film a year of business now handled by six firms. The PET (plastic bottle)

market is growing at the rate of 15 per cent a year as breweries and soft drinks suppliers take advantage of this cheaper means of packaging. Metal Box claims to be leader in this field.

Elsewhere, Metal Box clings to its 40 per cent share of a static central heating market, through Stelrad. Overseas year's low – still double last operations still account for more than half the group's interim sales of £710m (£659m last time). A change in the year end of the American operation from December 31, to March 31, means a nine-month contribution, but this is net loss of £500,000 once interest charges are taken into account.

The unanswered question for how much of a £40m windfall

Atlantic Computers, the fast

with a price tag of about £55m.

privately-owned Buckingham-

shire company which designs

and makes specialist data

Atlantic shares, which were

offered for sale at 23p in early

October, rose a further 27p on

the stock market yesterday to

Atlantic said it expected

significant benefits for both

companies as a result of the

merger. The chairman, Mr John

Foulston, said: "No other company could open the door

to data communications in the

Atlantic sees Lion's

data communications and tele-

Communications management

systems as complimentary to its

own activity in supplying

make pretax profits of not less than £1.65m in the 10 months

to the end of this year. Sales in

that period will be about £5.2m.

Atlantic has forecast profits of not less than £5.1m for 1983.

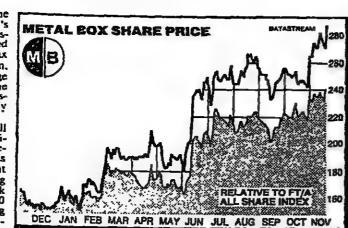
Lion has said that it will

same way that Lion does."

computer systems.

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But Amersham is raising

it has directed 50 per cent of

its research and development

expenditure, at present 8 per cent of total annual expendi-

ture, into non-radioactive diag-

companies remains to be seen.

The company is also benefit-

Amersham considers that the

next product range will still be

within radioactive diagnostics.

it has a deal with an American

university for a chemical which

increases the range of uses of a

After that there will be a new

range of products unrelated to

radioisotopes. Despite that, the feeling persists that the shares

will be a gamble for at least two

years or until Amersham has

shown just how well it can stand up to the burgeoning compe-

Spanish

drive for

**UK** tourists

From Harry Debelius

double last year's borrowings.

resulting from the restructuring of the group's interests in South Africa will show through in the £10m expected this year and profit and loss account. The further growth next year, to board promised that gross debt centralize the administration board promised that gross debt centralize the administration would fall from 52 per cent to after two years of booming 30 per cent of shareholders' expansion. funds after the deal, which will reduce interest charges, but there could be further substantial provisions for redundancy

Still, the market was happy with the figures, chalking up the nostics and is buying in the shares by 8p to 288p against a necessary expertise. 140p low for the year.

### Amersham

A 21.4 per cent increase in profits and forecasts that the growth rate will continue has ing from the weak pound. The not helped to support the 20 per cent profits improvement included 5 points from the there is a view that the stock exchange rate. should be sold.

year's issue price admittedly and the underlying worry in the market is how well the company can sustain that growth in the face of the competition from the biotechnological alternatives being developed in radioactive medical diagnostics.

Nevertheless there is no danger in the next couple of years, at least according to the company, which is confident of sustaining the growth.

About 2.4 million Atlantic

Bovington, Mr Paul Clark and

notes and film in cash. They

A second deal in the com-

puter companies sector was

announced yesterday. Commer-

cial Union and Baker Street

Investment Company, which

acts for 10 pension funds and

life companies, is putting up

£420,000 of new money for a

17.5 per cent stake in ASSYST

Sears to close

**Belfast Store** 

Belfast department store. Robinson and Cleaver, in

March with the loss of 220 jobs.

For more than 100 years the

company has traded from its

turreted building near the City Hall and is one of Belfast's best-

The building has been sold to

an Ulster consortium for an

estimated £2m and is likely to

Sears Holdings is to close its

computer

ASSYST-RAET.

mown landmarks.

be converted to offices.

British arm of the Dutch

software group

**Atlantic Computers** 

in £14m takeover

By Jeremy Warner

growing computer systems design group, is spending £14m on per cent of the total, are being

a manufacturing company that issued to Lion's three owners

will take it into the field of data and founders. Mr Robert

The acquisition comes less Mr John Lee, as part payment than two months after Atlantic for the company. They will also

Now it is paying a mixture of have undertaken not to sell any

shares, cash and loan stock for of their shares until April, 1985.
Lion Systems Developments, a Lion employs 200 people and

### C E Heath

Nobody could have been more cautious about its indusirv's prospects than the insurance firm, C E Heath, when it eased its interim dividend up from 5p to 5.25p net after seeing six months' net profits rise 17

But to talk of broking being the problem sector, while underwriting profits have soared by 56 per cent, is to ignore the huge difficulty facing the insurance industry as a whole: Massive rate-cutting which has been particularly savage in the US.

Many companies there have een operating on the old-style Japanese principle of accumu-lating turnover, not profits -but, in their case, not for growth

Heath's spectacular rise in its Australian business, as prodicted, only serves to underline the problems in North America, which still represents the biggest single slice of its turnover and profits. The increase in rates that was widely, predicted for this year appeared briefly, but has not been sustained. Analysis now suggest that it will not even materialize next year.

Heath acknowledges losing a contract because American But whether that will be enough to compete effectively with the new biotechnological competitors cut rates by half Business, which it and another London firm had done in the oil sector at \$30m last year, was placed at between \$14m and \$15m this year.

It has also not been asked to quote for certain businesses again, which it won last year by substantially cutting rates. But like a growing number of non-US firms, it firmly believes that, if you cut your own throat too far, you eventually lose your

shake-out amongst The "captive" insurance companies set up by industrial concerns, again largely American, to serve their in-house needs, of which more than 1,000 are registered in Bermuda – and among more than £2m – up from companies in the Third World. £847,000 last year.

### **COMPANY NEWS** IN BRIEF

Adma Leisure Year to 31.8.83 Pretax profit £3m (£1m) Stated earnings 7.8p (2.9p) Turnover £20.7m (£13.8m) Net final dividend 1p

Zygal Dynamics Half-year to 30.7.83 Pretax profit £181,000 (£34,000) Stated earnings 3.7p (0.9p) Turnover £2.2m (£1.4m)

A & M Hire Hall-year to 31.7.83 Pretay profit 2360,000 (£455,000) Stated earnings 0.38p (0.49p) Turnover £542,000 (£828,000) Net dividend 0.1p

Sekers International Half-year to 30.9.83 Pretax profit £171,000 (loss £54,000) Stated earnings 1.64m (£5.5m) Net Interim dividend 0.25p (nil)

Amos Hinton & Sons Half-year to 17.9.83 Pretax profit £1.1m (£958,000) Stated earnings 16.87p (15.33p) Turnover £65.2m (£58.1m) Net interim dividend 2.4p (same)

Parkland Textile (Holdings) Half-year to 2.9.83 Pretax profit £807,000 Stated earnings 10.60 (2.4p)
Turnover (20.4m (£18.4m)
Net Interim dividend 1.6p (same)

Rexmore

Half-year to 1.10.83 Pretax profit £285,000 (£190,000) Stated earnings 2,11p (0,75p) Turnover £12.9m (£13.6m) Net interim dividend 0.6p (0,525p)

Pactrol Electronics Half-year to 30.9.83 Pretax profit £229,000 (£144,000) Stated earnings 8.08p (5.25p) Turnover £1.1m (726,000) Net Interim dividend 2p (1.5p) Share price 438p Yield 1.8

■ The Haywood Williams Group is raising £2m by a onefor-four rights issue, the 2,104,723 new shares at 100p will be in line for the proposed final dividend of 3p this year. competitors is already happen. The Group which manufactures ing in the ranks of the so-called house building materials will use the funds to reduce borrowings, which stood at £2.95m at the end of last year. Pre-tax profits for the year to December are expected to be

# Food canning prices

Cans for foods, including The Spanish government is to spend £1m to encourage more British holidaymakers to look for "everything under the sm" in Spain, a spokesman for the tourist department said in Madrid yesterday. are still tight, so the extra costs will be passed on in full said The total budget for official tourist promotion abroad, 1.9 billion pesetas (8.5m) is 38 per

cent highter than the amount spent the previous year. suppliers, as "disappointing," Newlands, Knight & Round will handle the advertising and promotion in Britain during the first part of the two-part campaign. For that first phase,

which begins mediately. Spain has allocated 120m. No agency has yet been named for the sized can of beans. second phase, budgeted at 108m The increases have been An additional 300m peseta

will be spent on international advertising, including some British publications, the tourist official said. Tandem/DDB of Madrid was awarded that contract. The slogan for the advertisements is: "Everthing under the sun", emphasizing the variety of activities available in

The campaign has been structured on the results of a survey by the tourist depart-ment, which indicated the holiday activities of the various ategories of holidaymakers. Officials said that the campaign is aimed at the higher end of the market.

Spain.

WALL STREET

# to increase by 6%

petfoods, are to rise in price by an average 6 per cent in January adding £20m to food canners' costs. Cans for soft drinks and beer are also expected to go up. Profit margins in food canning the Food Manufacturers Federation which described the price increases from Metal Box and American Can, the dominant

On the case of 24 15% oz cans the price increase will add another lop across a broad range of fruit and vegetable products, according the the ederation. In the shop it might mean another 1/20 on medium

notified by the can makers after t 6.4 per cent increase in according to the federation.

tinplate prices by British Steel. Both steel and aluminium cans are affected because is now split fairly evenly between steel and aluminium cans. Food manufacturers are not

happy at the price increases because they argue that timplate mirrored in finished can prices. Tinplate costs account for 60 per cent of the total cost of producing a can, the federation

Canners have seen a 4.9 per cent decline in canned food sales the last year. But perfoods, which represent about a third of the total canned goods market were up 3.3 per cent. Net profit margins in food and drink have improved to 5.5 per cent overall, but margins in the canned food sector are lower

# Midland Bank promotion

Midland Bank: Mr Robert Wyatt, and assistant general manager and an executive of Midland Group International Trade Services (MBGITS), becomes eneral manager of the bank on

He will succeed Mr George Barrett who is retiring. Mr Barrett will continue as chairman of MBGITS.

Securities Trust of Scotland: Mr Ronald Miller has been Schroder Asseily: Mr Colin

Craig will become managing director in early January. Conran/Octopus: Miss Alison vill be managing director/pubsher from January 31. Firth take over as managing Airways Pension Scheme: Mr director of Lee Steel Wire.

chief executive on January 1.

Reldan: Mr Robert Russell, has been elected managing director of the retail division and will join the Reldan main

Anthony Lamsden & Co. Mr. I Pearce is a new director. Group Investors: Mr P W Darwin is the new chairman.

### **APPOINTMENTS**

J Charles Woodward becomes Centre for Economic Policy son is to be administrative director (programme and

Arthur Lee Group: Mr G S insurance contributions.

### Economic Commentary by Tim Congdon

# The VAT 'mistake' that might help revive the economy

Addition to revenue from raising VAT

oss of revenue from abolishing N/S

Official estimate of yield from stamp duties in 1983-84

Probable yield from stamp duties in 1984-85

from 15 per cent to 16 per cent from 15 per cent to 20 per cent

Mr Nigel Lawson has suffered from several media nasties in the last week, with The Suns Lawson in Blunderland" being perhaps the least wholesome. His autumn statement has clearly lost him so many friends in the popular press that he must be well on the way to becoming a very good Chancellor of the Loss of revenue from changing single and wife's earned income allowance by £20 by £350

But so far he has been responsible only for measures to control public spending, announced in July, and last week's staement. The most encouraging sign would be if the newspapers gave Mr Lawson an even heavier battering after his first Budget, due in March or April. We could then be certain that he would complete his job enjoying universal respect ລດັດກຳຕາກ່ວກ

The purpose of this article is to propose a change in the structure of taxation so major and controversial that it would give the headline writers a field

There would be a much more serious intention, of course. It would be to strengthen incentives where it really counts (the low-paid, the unemployed) and to improve the efficiency of both the labour and capital markets.

The essential step is to repeat the so-called "mistake" in Sir Geoffrey Howe's first Budget announcing a substantial rise in the rate of valued-added tax, on this occasion from 15 per cent to 20 per cent.

The revenue from higher VAT would become available for more worthy causes. It would probably not be a good idea to put the rate up

### The subsequent rises (in VAT) of 1 per cent would be annual

from 15 per cent to 20 per cent in one year because of the possible damage to inflation expectations. The first rise should be before next May so what its effect on he incorrecthat its effect can be incorpor-ated in next year's social security uprating and should be only I per cent. The subsequent rises, also of 1 per cent, should be in the same month of every

year until 1988. little over 0.5 per cent and might upset the Treasury's 4.5 per cent inflation forecast. But orecasts are made to be broken.

There would be no effect on the inflation rate after 1984 because the same increase in the surance surcharge takes up price level would occur - at least from this source - every

The very helpful ready reckoner in the Treasury's document on the Autumn Statement 1983 suggests that the extra receipts should be £550m (in 1984/85 prices) in the first year and £3,700m by 1989/90.

This is a sizable sum of money. What should the Chancellor do with it?

The first move should be to end the national insurance surcharge. The current rate of

payment is 1.5 per cent. The full-year cost of reducing the rate by I per cent is estimated by the Treasury as £850m, after naking allowance for reduced recovery from the public sector. The termination of NIS, therefore, would cut receipts by

There would be definite gains here for the labour market since the effective cost of employing people would be lowered. Much more imaginative methods of improving incentives at the lower end could be devised. One possibility, for example would be to raise the lowe

The package:
Full-year yield from raising VAT to 20 per cent
Full-year cost of ending NIS
Full-year cost of increasing single and wife's
earned income allowance by £350
Full-year cost of abolishing stamp duties -1,330 -1,100 Full-year effect on the PSBR Sources: HM Treasury Autumn Statement, 1983, Financial Statement and Budget Report 1983-84, and own estimates,

The Arithmetic of the Tax Package (figures in £m 1984-85 prices)

The limit, now £32.50 a seek, is due to rise to £34.00 next April, Few workers earn as little as this, but the need to pay contributions is an obvious deterrent to employers when considering recruitment and discouragement to the unem-ployed when seeking work.

The groups most affected are school-leavers and young workers who usually enter employment at minimum wage rates. There unemployment rate is particularly high - and the taising of the lower earnigs limit would make a worthwhile difference to their problem.

The drawback to tinkering with the lower earnings limit is that it would muddy the distinction between the tax and national insurance systems.

If the limit was increased, it would become more difficult for the very low-paid, including the young to build up a contri-butions record. Without a contributions record, entitlement to benefit cannot be established.

The answer may be a special Treasury supplement to exempt young workers from national insurance contributions while they are gaining on-the-job

The Government may be suspicious of this idea since it The impact effect on the would disturb the insurance retail price index would be a principle on which social security is based. But, if we have had a national insurance surcharge, what is so objectionable about a national insurance supplement?

Ending the national

### VAT actually falls less heavily on the poor

£1,275m. of the £3,700m. available. Nearly half of the remaining £2,425m. should be used for the abolition of stamp

The case for ending stamp duty has become urgent in the last few months.

The shares of British registered companies are being actively traded on foreign stock exchanges in forms which avoid

stamp duty. No revenue is raised and the London capital markets are bypassed. If Government wants the stock exchange to be internationally competitive when the new rule book comes into force, stamp duty must go. Stamp duty is expected to

yield revenue of a little under his first Budget.

£1,000m, in 1983-84. The figure in 1984-85 might be £1,100m. That would leave another £1,325m, before the additional proceeds from 20 per cent VAT bad been exhausted.

It could be devoted to .a further upward adjustment of personal allowances. The Treasury's ready-reckoner says that the full-year cost of raising the single and wife's earned income allowance by £20 would be £76m. The allowance, therefore, could be increased by almost £350.

This move would mitigate the unemploynment and pov-erty traps, but the point should

### Drawbacks in tinkering with the lower earning limit

not be overstated. Now that ject to tax, the net loss of state handouts for someone resuming work is smaller than used to be

An equally important merit of raising personal allowances would be political. Even Mr. Lawson would baulk at the rumpus likely to be caused by simultaneously increasing VAT and abolishing stamp duty, both of which would be regarded as bonuses for the rich.

(In fact. VAT falls least heavily on the poor because it does not apply to food and housing, but that is not the common perception.)

If, however, personal allowances were raised in conjunction with the abolition of stamp duty it is difficult to see why anyone should object. The low paid would gain more, in proportion to their incomes, from higher personal allowance than the well off.

in fact, the overall effect of all the changes proposed in this article would be to favour the poor, not the rich. People on low incomes and in employment would gain most.

The arguments for a big switch in the fiscal structure, with higher indirect taxes financing a cut in direct taxation on the low paid, are simple, logical and persuasive. Indeed, they are so simple, logical and persuasive that they are very probably beyond the comprehension of headline writers in the tabloid press.

The final reason for implementing the changes is, therefore, that they will make Mr Lawson extremely unpopular - which is just what a Chancellor of the Exchequer should be after

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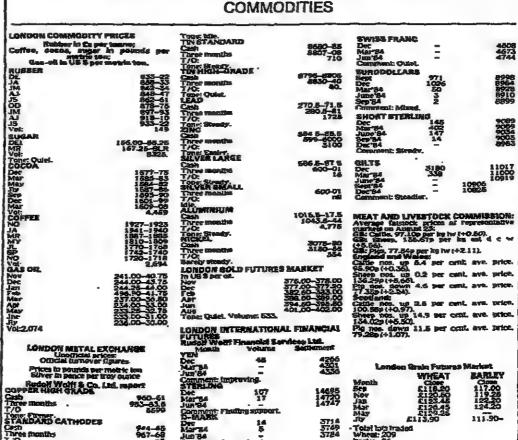
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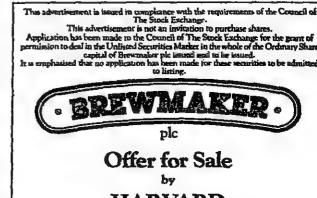
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hours on any weekday (Saturdays excepted) up to the 9th December 1983.

Deans, both Scottish internationals, have withdrawn from

Mickey Steele-Bodger's team to meet Cambridge University at

sustained a fractured jaw and

Deans a damaged neck playing against New Zealand on November 12 injuries which

caused them to miss the game between Major Stanley's XV and Oxford University last

Rutherford's replacement at

stand-off half is the young Bedford player, Simon Smith,

not to be confused with the

Sumon Smith whom Cambridge

accommodate at full back rather

than his normal position on the

right wing Smith - he of Bedford - will have dis-

tinguished company outside him in three All Blacks. Osborne, Robertson and Green,

of whom the first two played

against Oxford last week and

thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Dean's place at hooker goes to Guy Steele-Bodger, son of the

West Hartlepool prop, returns after suspension and his clubmate, Ivan Waterson, resumes at scrumhalf

Ken Purchase, the injured Black-heath wing is replaced by club colleague Tony O'Malley in the

takes the place of Kevin Hyde (Workington), who is injured in

David Cook, of S retained on the wing

recovering from concussion, d Cook, of Stockton, is

team organizer, and he will Ushave the conforting presences in 6.

the front row of Blakeway on the loose head rather than the tight head side. Blakeway comes in for Rendell, who injured a leg knee and is waiting for the

**Durham strengthened** 

for promotion game

**RUGBY UNION** 

of Steele-Bodger's team:

By David Hands, Rugby Correspondent

Grange Road today. Rutherford Middlesex in the county cham- against Northampton.

John Rutherford and Colin playing for Wasps against results of hospital tests. Martin, Deans, both Scottish inter-letester last weekend. Another the Aberavon full back has been arionals, have withdrawn from withdrawal from the original bothered by a hamstring injury

pionship semi-final against

England who had most

impressed him, for his speed

After a handsome start to the

term Cambridge have fallen

away. They lost by a mere handful of points to Cardiff,

Bedford, Northampton, Ros-

slyn Park and London Scottish and drew with Richmond.

However, Leicester and Black-

heath demolished them and

injuries have not helped them

sustain the build-up to the University match on December

players to county commitments

Australians in the final match of

PRENCH BARBARIANS; C. Uthurrise (Bayonne): B Lavigne (Agen), P. Barboteau (Angouleme), L. Pardo (Montterrani, P. Seša (Agen): G, Laporte (Grautine), J-P Eissande (La Rochelle); P-E Detrez (Nemes), P. Dintrans (Tarbes), R. Paparentorde (Racing Cub), J-P Rives (Racing Cub), J-C Orso (Nicu), J. Condom (La Bouceau), F. Sistery (treand), P. Coulais (Hyeros),

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seven first-team regulars.

and no-nonsense approach.

Gloucestershire on Saturday.

team is Cooke, the Harlequins all term and Paterson-Brown, at

flanker, who is due to represent centre, strained knee ligaments

His place goes to Rees, of Andrew, moves from stand-off

Nottingham, who had such an to centre and Chesworth, outstanding game for the formerly of Durham Univer-Midland Division against the sity, comes in from the wing to

All Blacks. Bryce Rope coach to replace him. Chesworth is a New Zealand said just before talented player who has been the tour reached its conclusion unlucky to find Andrew block-

that Rees was one of the players ing the way to a Blue.

While the British championships were unfolding here yesterday, all the talk was of a breakthrough by the talk was of a breaktmough by the Soviet Union. In Winterberg less weekend they unveiled a revolution-ary sledge which has suddenly clevated their Olympic team from rank outsiders to one of the favourites for the gold medal in Sarajevo in February.

nt times have dominated the

team manager, said on his arrival at their headquarters in Berchtespaden in the Bavarian Alps. "It is comparable to a relatively new team going in to Formula One motor nodified things to this degree",

unique new suspension and steering system designed to keep all four

away sides at the front giving it a cigar shape appearance.

"Actually it would not look all that out of place in Star Wars". Hammond said. "It set were one back at Winterberg, particularly the Swiss who have made one or two innovations of their own. Some nations are clearly concerned that no matter how good their own drivers are the new sledge will give the Russians an unbeatable advantage simply because it is quicker.

"There was some talk of protests to the International Federation of Bobbleighing and Tobegaming but, as I see it, the new sledge conforms to all relavent requirements. The international jury derivinely had no complaints at Winterberg."

That opinion is shared by the FIBTs technical advisor, Gion Caviczai, who is also the coach to

Caviezel, who is also the coach to the British team. At their head-quarters in Berchtespaden last night the Swiss born Calviezel said: "At the last FIBT congress at Lake Placid after this year's world champion-ships member countries voted to allow new construction in the interests of progress. A few of those moreus or progress. A level of mose countries may be having second thoughts after seeing the new Russian sledge in action. But it is too late to go back on that decision before the Olympics."

Rumour has it that the Russians are coming to Königsee this week to practice but there was still receive of

practice but there was still no sign of

**REAL TENNIS** 

### Mackenzie derailed

The third seed, Colin Lumley, a footwork, having difficulty reading former Australian Open champion, reached the quarter-finals of the British Open singles championship, sponsored by George Wimpey, at Queen's Club yesterday when he defeated Robert Mackenzie, 6-2, 6-4, 6-0.

4, 6-0. Lumley, who lost in the eliminator for the World Championship Challenge in October 1982, is now temporary professional at the Holyport club, near Maidenhead, where is he is looking after the lovely court while the future of the estate is decided.

The left-handed Lumley thrives on pace, so Mackinzie, one of the most improved British amateurs, abandoned the normal fluency of his game, relying on a fast railroad service and forces for the willing

Machanie was less successful receiving service when he frequently succumbed to the terminion to snatch at the ball driving it straight for the dedans and paid the penalty, missing when setting up an easy kill. However, when he waited for the ball to come off back wall and played a precise game of controlled placing on the floor, he exhibited a refined touch in strokeplay. Lachlan Denchar, the No. 2 seed,

and deputy profesional at Hampton Court, beat Kevin King the professional at Hatfield House, by professional at Hatticid House, by 6-3, 6-0, 6-3, in a match with much unsightly slogging. Mick Dean, who narrowly lost a five-set final to the service and forces for the willing amateur champion. Alan Loveling opening and experimented with a the Coupe de Bordeaux in April, variety of slow services; but he defeated Robin Hollington, 6-0, 6-2, lended to be proceed to b



Fellow competitors presented Billie Jean King with a cake on her 40th birthday yesterday. Mrs King celebrated the milestone while preparing for the New South Wales women's open tennis championships in Sydney. In between receiving

gifts from players and a bunch of 40 red roses

from the tournament organizers, Mrs King found time for a strenuous workout on the practice court. Mrs King, who is still ranked twelfth in the world, said: "I think older players will continue to make an impact on major

### Harlequins lock for Durham make two changes for their County Championship second division promotion play-off against Kent at Askeans ground, Kidbrooke, on Saturday, Eddie Bell, the West Hardengol prop. returns after the county Championship second decide who is promoted to division two. Metropolitan Police have brough Sunday's home fixture Middlesex

Today the hero of last December's University match,

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Metropolitan Police are without Blacks last Saturday, is out with an ankle injury. Paul Curtis, of Rosslya Park, replaces him. Moss Keane, the Irish lock forward, has withdrawn from the

Among the backs, Mark Williams, of Wasps, switches from the wing to stand-off half in place of Tim Bryan (Metropolitan Police). Steve O'Reilly, also of Met Police,

### Seeds scattered on day of surprises Sydney (Reuter) - Hana Mandliwin as the best result of her career.

cova's brittle temperament let ber Wales open championship yester-day. The top seed was beaten 6-3, 5-7, 6-4, by Elizabeth Sayers of Australia, who is ranked ninety-sixth in the world. Miss Sayers, aged 20, kept her nerve in a gripping finale after she had squandered two match points in the second set.

Miss Mandlikova, aged 21, produced a typically infuriating display of breathtaking winners and beginner's mistakes. She is using this event as part of her build-up to the Australian open in two weeks' time and after receiving a first round bye she looked short of Miss Sayers who described her breaking service in the ninth game

was the more confident in the opening set which she took after breaking service for a 4-2 lead. The young Australian played herself into a match-winning position when she served at 5-4 in the second set. despite two double faults she held two match points but threw both away with unforced errors. For the first and only time in the match. Miss Mandlikova imposed her authority and took three successive games to level the match.
Miss Sayers was not to be denied.

however, and she quickly regained her earlier composure. Her experienced opponent frequently used delaying factics and complaints, but the unseeded player held on through a series of close games before finally

another second round shock by beating Barbara Potter, of the United States, the No 7 seed 6-7, 6-

2. 6-3. Miss Amiach, maked 153 in the world, survived three qualifying matches to rach the main draw and now has a great chance of going through to the quarter-finals after the No 14 seed Yvonne Vermark of South Africa, lost 7-6, 4-6, 7-5 to Ann Henricksson, of the United States, in the first round. Jo Durie, of Great Britain, the No 3 seed, reached the third round with a 6-4, 6-4 win over Betsy Nagelson, of the United States.

# of the decisive set. Miss Sayers now playes Sherry Acker, of the United States.

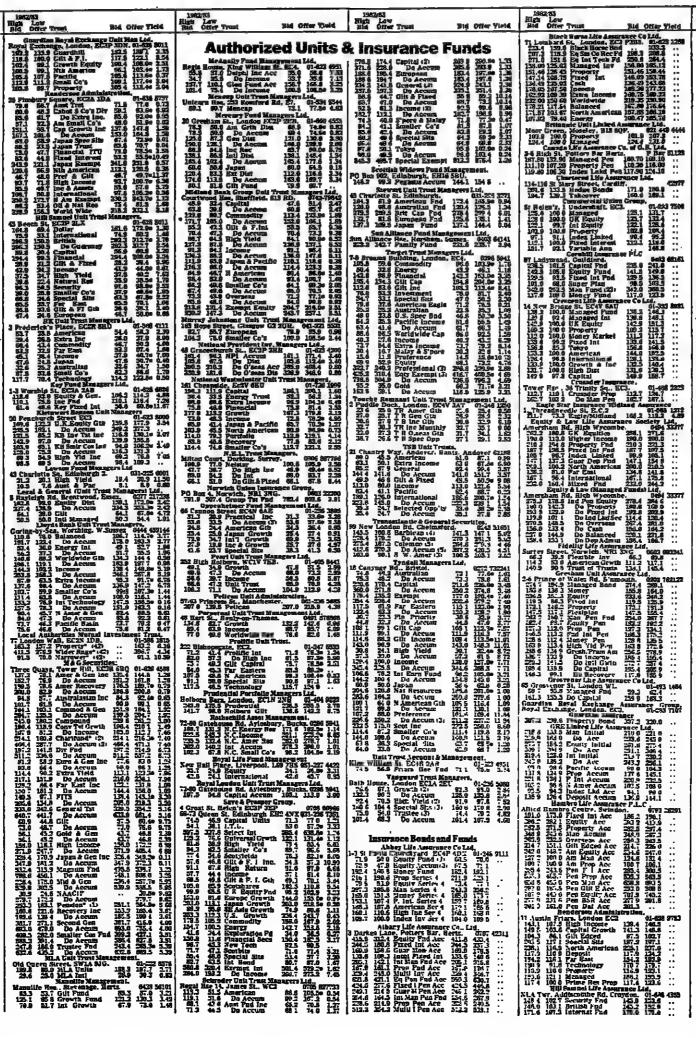
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Not only did they clinch their first notable victory in international competition by winning the Veltins Cup but they twice beat the track record and finished in the unprecedented position of filling three of the ten form places in the transfer. the top four places in the two-man event. Not surprisingly their success staggered the Swiss. East Gamana, West Germans and Austrans, who

"To say they have made a major breakthrough is putting it a bit mildly," Mo Hammond, the British

going in to Formula One motor-racing and winning a grand prix at virtually the first attempt." Ham-mond added. "The Soviets have only been taking part in major competitions for three years and have always led us to believe they have no track of their own in Russia. But they must have built one somewhere to have tested and modified things to this degree".

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Cup defence Great Britain and Ireland's club professionals will defend the PGA Cup against the United States at Turnberry on July 26 to 28 next

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of their contracts in dollars or other strong currencies and there may be some irreularities committed in transferring the money abroad, possibly avoiding taxes," one source close to the Italian soccer league claimed.

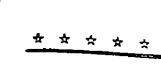
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one of the fichest contracts for the current season, at about 900m lire about £225,000).

In addition to regular contracts players performing in Italy receive bonuses for any win in championship matches and in the Europear curs. Roma and Inventors players

cups. Roma and Juventus players recently pocketed about 5m line (2,500) each for qualifying to the quarter finals of European tourna-

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EUROPEAN FOOTBALL: FOREST FACE A SCOTTISH INVASION, WATFORD LOOK TO YOUTH AGAIN, SPURS CALL UP HAZARD

# Injuries force Celtic to adopt cautious approach

been unspeakable, indeed un-thinkable: a manager of Celtic talking of caution in a European tie? But times have changed since Celtic swept all before since Celtic swept all before them and yesterday David Hay, their manager, admitted as much when he said about their UEFA cup third round tie at Nottingham Forest. We can Nottingham Forest: "We cannot be as attack-minded as we would like and caution will be the name of the game."

After the four goals conceded at St Mirren on Saturday and with the team reshuffled be-cause of injuries. Hay has good reason to think defensively. They have conceded 12 goals in their seven league games away from Parkhead this season. Tonight at the City Ground they are without Proan, their international winger, because of a hamstring injury and William a hamstring injury and Willie McStay with a twisted ankle. It is likely that they will bring in Reid at left back and push Sinclair into midfield. McGugan, aged 19, has been added to the squad. Also Colquhoun, their new addition from Stirling Albion, is ineligible.

What does not seem to have changed, according to Brain changed, according to Brain Clough, the Forest manager is the deafening support of their followers. "My players will be up against their tremendous crowd. Indeed, I think they will make more noise at the City Ground than when we play the second lee."

Spartak in the previous rounds of the UEFA Cup, will be asked again for displays of instant maturity sgainst Spartak Prague, at Vicarage Road, this evening – and then asked to stand down for the next round.

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Such an act of ingratitude seems likely since by the time of the fourth round in March, Watford's five newest acquisitons will be eligible: Atkinson (from Oldham Athletic), Rielly (from Cambridge United), Simott (from Walsall), Johnston (from Partick Thistle), and Bardsley (from Blacknool).

Ten years ago it would have will be unintelligible at Parkhead. Forest expect a crowd of 35,000 tonight and Celtic have already sold their allocation of 11,500. The Scottish club say of the tie, which has captured the imagination as any England v Scotland encounter does, and even more so because it is between former European Cup champions. With television fees, Celtic believe they will double Forest's income. To avoid Scottish supporters travelling without tickets, and to help Forest's poor financial

situation, the match is being televised live in Scotland. It will be an exacting test for Clough's fledgling side, The performance of Forest's attack, where most of their youth lies, will be crucial. They go forward in a bright, adventurous style vaguely reminiscent of the Celtic of Lennox and Wallace but there is a lack of substance in their finishing only to be expected in a side still learning. wigley, playing non-league football only a few months ago, carries much of Forest's hope on the right wing, and I doubt whether this confident young man will be overcome by the occasion

Behind him there will be a solid base of experience in men

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Gerry Armstrong. But when they left the club I knew the door was opening a little for me and now that I have got the chance I have got to take it."

It seems unlikely that Watford's early Christmas shopping will include a visit to Milan. It has been rumoured that Blissett, who was jerred off the field when AC Milan substituted him against Fiorentina at the weekend, would be available for about £300,000.

Watford, though they have only

someone else, Richardson, who has scored three goals in European matches this season, said: "I didn't expect to get a chance anyway, particularly when we still had Luther Blissett, Ross Jenkins, and Gerry Armstrong. But when they is a time end of his three-year contract."

Taylor, who was disturbed by ledge of his team in the previous round, will not be announcing his side until later today. He said: "One of the advantages we have is that with all our injuries and new significant to the contract."

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Face to face at the City Ground tonight: Aitken (left), of Celtic, and Wigley, of **Nottingham Forest** 

unique treble of European Cup, time in his last five matches, Cup Winners' Cup and UEFA Cup winners' medals, But they will be without the forthright Todd again because of a pulled hamstring and Fairclough, aged 19, will again stand in Fair-clough made his debut in a European atmosphere when he came on as substitute in the previous round at Eindhoven.

It could be that the tie has come too early for Forest, who convincingly. For all their talk will be without the ineligible of caution, Celtic still know how will be without the ineligible Thijssen. He has yet to settle Roy Aitken, the Celtic descender, believes Forest's support like Bowyer, Swain and Andersing a since arriving from vancouver states in each of the previous fender, believes Forest's support before. Bowyer is chasing a was substituted for the fourth a total of nine goals in the Youth having another fling

side until later today. He said: "One of the advantages we have is that with all our injuries and new signings it is difficult for people to know who will be playing for us and I want to keep that advantage."

Porter, aged 18, scored four goals for the reserves on Saturday and is one of those young men who may be asked to wear a first-team shirt temporarily. Taylor may be forced to include his namesake, Les Taylor, even though this plucky little player has only played twice since a cartilage operation and is now suffering pains in his calf.

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mistakes in Sunday's 2-2 first division match against Fiorentina.

against his old club, Inswich
Town, on Saturday. His controlled, winding runs could
have been vital to Forest when they search for an opening en those massed green betwe and white hoops.

The draw, placing Celtic advantageously away first, in the end may be decisive. Should Forest win tonight, it must be to score goals and after bad

Second legs — including five against Sporting Lisbon.
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Middlesbrough hope Manchester United will allow their reserve goalkeeper Stephen Pears to stay with them until the end of the

The FA Cup first round replay between Wigan and Bradford City, scheduled for last night, was postponed because of a frozen pirch. It has been rearranged for next Monday (7.30).

# Lone tribesmen face majestic threat

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Tottenham defence that has conceded two goals in each of their last

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Nor is that his lone concern. Grobe, a central defender, and Augenthaler, the national sweeper, are both injured and considered without the injured Ardiles, Mabbutt injured and considered bring in Hazard,

Emmerson was severely tested by an awkward inswinging corner kick.

With 12 minutes gone White, who held the Repton side together in midfield, pushed a pass through to Chawner, who side-slipped Shoesmith and put a hard left frosted shot into the corner of the goal. The whitenium White nearly made it 3-1

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with both sides beginning to tire and only 10 minutes left Stopford gathered the ball, dodged three defenders and shot hard and low to

beat Emmerson who was unsighted.

A draw seemed almost certain but
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By George Chesterton

Milan, (AP) - Recent blunders by AC Milan's forward Lather Blissett showed that the Jamaicas-born player was "a mistaken acquisition." the club president was quoted as saying yesterday.

In an interview with the Milan daily Lo Gassetta Dello Sport, Giuseppe Farina denied rumours that Milan was making moves to send Blissett back to Britain for his mistakes in Sunday's 2-2 first Repton ...

Repton beat Bolton at Repton yesterday on a beautiful surface which would have done Wembley no discredit. Bolton were quickly into their stride and Stopford, who proved to be the outstanding player of the day, was the first to have a shot at goal after five minutes. But Repton, a very young side, settled down.

Territorially there was no advan-tage for 30 minutes before White, the Repton captain, pushed a ball through for Stretton to shoot hard. The shot was parried by Hilton in the Bolton goal but Stretton was able to run the ball in from the rehound.

division match against Fiorentina.

Italian Press reports said Farum was hedging on getting rid of Blissett because the forward and completed only five months of his three-year contract with Milan, who paid Watford £1m for him.

Graham Taylor, the Watford formanger, was said to have told journalists that Milan had offered Blissett back, but said he would pay a cut-price £300,000 for him.

Blissett has denied he has any Just before halftime, a little against the run of play, Chadwick received a long pass from McDonald on the right and slammed a hard shot first time into the corner of the net to level the score, giving Emmerson no chance.

During the early part of the Blissett has denied he has any physical difficulties. "I really wasn't there in my mind," the forward was quoted as saying after he was pulled out against Fiorentina amid boos and whistles.

FOR THE RECORD

# West Germany, whose representatives are accustomed to climbing peaks around the world, are heading lowards the darkened valleys of Europe. Their national side may yet emerge in the French sun next summer but they strambled through to the champiouship finals only by claiming the decisive goal against. Albania with 10 minutes to go. The journeys of their claips in the three Continental competitions has been even less dignified. Of all those that set off this season, only Bayern Munich have managed to stay on course and tonight the join leaders of the Bundesliga meet Tottenham Hotspur in the first leg of the UEFA Cap third round. Although Udo Lattek, Bayern's manager, claimed yesterday that "it does not worry me that we are the RAMBURG: U Stein; M Schroder, B Wehmeyer, D Jakoba, M Historhymus, W Harneld, W Rollf, J Groth, D Schetzschneider, F Magain, T von Hessen, ABERDEEN; J Leightor; N Cooper, D Rougvia, N Simpson, A McClae, D Bell, P Weir. Referes: Christor (Czochoslovatia). A plastic pitch for United

Manchester United are to instal a synthesic grass pitch at their indoor training complex. They have chosen an en-tout-cas Sporturf surface. The United chairman, Martin Edwards said: "The surface seems to be as close as it is possible to get to natural grass." The manager, Ron Atkinson added: "There will be an increasing number of these surfaces in the League and it makes sense to get experience playing on them."

Paul Moss, a former Wolver hampton Wanderers forward, who is now with Worcester, continued his FA Cup scoring frats to put Aldershot out of the first round replay on Monday night. Moss scored both goals in Worcester's 2-1 home win and has now got 10 in 11 FA Cup ties since he joined the club. His two goals knocked out Wrexham last season, Manchester United are to instal a

Yesterday's results Milk CLP: Third round replaye: Huddersfield 0, Stoke City.2; Sunderland 1, Norwich 2. FA CUP: First round replays: Bangor 1. Northwick, 0, Wycombe 1, Chelmstord & York 2. Maccelleted 0. Wigen v Bradford City

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FOOTBALL COMMINATION: Birmingham 4, Southernoton 1: Luton 0, Oxford United 1. CENTRAL LEAGUE: Second division: Bradford Monday's results

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# Aberdeen Police check books of Italian clubs Italian clubs, many of winch run several deficits, are companies subject to Banking and fiscal laws provided for firms with a share

Milan (AP) – Italian customs police, reportedly seeking clues of under-the-table payments, checked the books of three leading clubs last week and were preparing to launch a investigation into several other culbs in the near future police sources said.

Obstoms police who have been provided for firms with a share capital.

Rivera, the former player and now deputy chairman of AC milan, said that under-the-table payments were a common practice when Italian clubs had not yet been turned into share companies.

"At present all books should be clean in his sense. I don't think that customs police are going to find any illegal operations," Rivera said.

Many foreign stars transferring to Italy have been demanding payment of their contracts in dollars or other strong currencies and there may be

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The crowd was even smaller than expected. As though they were winter holidaymakers gathered on some vast and deserted beach, the few spectators huddled together for warmth. Hambur's defence was occasionally laid as bare and Aberdeeb have only themselves to blame for not taking the lead before the inteval.

The action responsible for opening the back door was not so much Scottish invention as the nonchalance of Hieronymus, an international defender. First be allowed Meghee to dispossess him on the half way line, although he did recover 10 bring him down on the cage of the area, and then he inadvertently sprung both Weis and Hewint from a carefully laid offiside

Yet Aberdeen's best opportunity of funds abroad. Italian clubs have been exporting large amounts of money for acquiring foreign stars since froa-tiers were reopened to non-Italian players in 1980. Customs officers of Juventus, Fiorentina and Verona last week. They did not report whether anything illegal was ascertained.

Officials of the three clubs confirmed their books were checked but did not elaborate, Juventus, have been paying princely salaries to their French forward Platini, to Polish forward Bonick and the World Cup attacker Rossi since 1981.

Fiorentian invested heavily in Argentina to get national team players Passarella and Bertoni in 1980.

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Hewrit from a carefully laid offside trap.
Yet Aberdeen's best opportunity was created, and in turn spoilt, by one of their own representatives. McGhee cut in from the right, leaving three white stames behind him, and from a distance of no more than five yards fired feebly against the legs of Hamburg's exposed goalkeeeper. keep date alkeeeper. Not that Aberbereen had it all with Leeds their own way.
Hamburg, so adept at wandering

Hamburg, so adept at wandering into tight corners, and escaping swiftly from them, showed in one minute midway through the first half how dangerous they can be. Schatzschneider, as big as his pame is long, and the majestic Magath both brought Leighton to his knees. The same two West Germans were later guilty of indecision in front of goal. As with McChee, it was a case of succeeding with the harder job and failing with the easier task. On the hour, though, Schatzschneider did head against the bar. Oxford United's Milk Cup third round replay against Leeds United today will be an important game for the central defender Gary Briggs. Although the prize for the winners is Antongh the prize for the winners is a home tie against Manchester United, Leeds are the team against whom he most wants to play.

I was born in Leeds and played ait my football there", Briggs said, He was bitterly disappointed at missing the chance to play in the 1-1 draw at Elland Road because of suspension.

Schatzschneider did head against the bar.

The one blemish on Aberdeen's performance, was the unnecessary foul committed by Rougvie, which put Hartwig out of the game. The robust tackling of the Scots frustrated Hambung's supporters and they were right to be angered when Rougvie deliberately elbowed his opponent in the face. He was fortunate only to be booked.

MAMBURGE U Shife M Schröder, B The return of Briggs is Oxford's only change from the seam that played at Leeds. The third division club are expecting a capacity crowd of 15,000 and record receipts of

Gray: Hopes revived Eddie Gray, said: "We were fortunate to be let off the hook in the first match, but I believe we are good enough to win at the second

played at Leeds. The third division club are expecting a capacity crowd of 15,000 and record receipts of £40,000.

The defender, McGoldrick, who made his debut for Leeds on Saturday, keeps his place at right back. Hamson, who played only one game this season because of injury, has been chosen as substitute.

Leeds will field an unchanged side for the match. Their manager,

# **Boyhood loyalty could** take Olsen to United

Manchester United have emerged as favourities to sign the Danish international forward, Jespor Oleen, if he leaves Ajax at the end of his contract. Although Olsen has been and I won't so anywhere else an anywhere else anyw offered more money by Tottenham Hotspirr and a "King's ransom" to go to italy, the United manager, Ron Atkinson, is confident that the player's boyhood interest in the club will the scales will tip the scales.

Atkinson said: "I am confident

Alkinson said: "I am confident that if he does not re-sign for Ajax he will join us. He indicated this to me but experience has taught me that a player is not yours until everything is signed, scaled and delivered. Spors made him an offer we didn't match but he has been a United supporter since he was a schoolboy and that could work in our favour. our favour.
"I expert a decision within two or

three days. Whatever happens he would not be here until the end of the season. His contract with Ajax does not expire until July 31 and he told me he wants to see it through."
United expect the fee to be about £500,000 and Atkinson considers it would be money well spent for a player who is aged only 22.

Jake Findlay, the Luton Town goalkeeper who has been in dispute with his club since refusing a new contract in the summer, has turned

loan. I want to leave Luton but I'm
29 with five years league experience
behind me. I don't have to prove
myself with a loan deal." Billy Lansdowne, the former West Ham and Chariton forward,

West Ham and Charlton forward, yesterday signed for the Isthmian League premiere division club Leytonstone-liford until the start of Swedens new season next March. Lansdowne was signed from FC Keimar who have just finished champions of the Swedish League's second division. Lansdowne returns to Keimar for the start of their first division programme in March.

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Chelsea's Chris Hutchings joined Brighton for £50,000 yesterday and will play his first game for them at Barusley on Saturday.

The Brighton manager, Chris Cartlin, said: "I have wanted to sign Chris since I started this job and feel he will be a great acquisition to the club. He is a very fine, aggressive player who can play at right or left back or in midfield and will strengthen our defence which has conceded too many goals." Hutchings joined Chelse from non-league Harrow Borough in 1980.

# Cash and carry-on

Geoff Greaves, a director of Birmingham City, has resigned from the board because he is not prepared to lend the club another £25,000. Greaves, a former commercial manager at Birmingham, has been re-organizing the commercial side of the club.

3. Numeron 2. Stranger 1. Circles Said yesterday that when Circles Said yesterday that when Circles Said yesterday that when Epined the board he was asked to lead the club £50,000. He put in £25,000 and said be would review the situation after a year. "I have a

printing business and I would not conside the possibility of jeopardising it :," he said.

Birmingham are to announce plans tomorrow for a new share issue to cut the club's debts of around £1.5m. The directors hope around 21.3m. The directors hope to raise £400,000. But unlike a similar scheme launched by their neighbours Aston Villa 13 years ago, the new shares are likely to be beyond the price range of many ordinary supporters.

### **SNOOKER**

### **Higgins finds** a way out of tight corner

Alex Higgins the 1982 world champion, made a fighting recovery against Murdo MacLeod of Edinburgh in the Coral United Kingdom championship at Preston yesterday. The Manchester-based Irishman was in trouble, trailing 0-4 against the 500-1 outsider, but flought back to 4-3.

The six times world champion Ray Reardon of Stoke, also trailed 4-3 to Bob Harris, of Surrey. Dennis Taylor was made to fight all the way for his second round place, before beating Tommy Murphy aged 21 9-6. The Blackburn-based Taylor will now meet Jimmy White, but Murphy made it difficult for him

Taylor resumed the second period leading 6-2 but he was held up by Murphy who won three successive frames to pult back to 6-5 and was unlucky not to level the scores. In the 12th frame he led 44-0 but lost it 91-58 to slip 7-5 behind.

Welshman Doug Mountjoy had no such trouble in his first round match with the promoster Mike Watterson. Mountjoy, seeded 12th, resumed leading 6-2 and quickly won the required three frames to earn a second round match against Tony Knowles, of Bolton.

earn a second round match against Tony Knowles, of Bolton. PREST POUND: Dennis Taylor (Blackburry let T Murphy (Newtownards) 9-8. D Mostratoy (Ethew Vale) for M. Westerson. (Chestersist) 9-2. M. Marchester) 4-3. A Harris (Surrey) leads R Heardon (Stoles) 4-3. A Harris (Surrey) leads R Honday: Pint round: J White (Tooting) be I Slack (Glasgow) 9-1. A Knowles (Bollori) bt A Jones (Notingham) 8-5.



Roll on winter: a resourceful Italian skates round the problem of the non-arrival of snow

### RALLYING **Blomqvist turns** the wheel of fortune

Hannu Mikkola, the world ampion, was unable to make any milicant impression on the leader, Stig Blomqvist, as the Lombard RAC Rally moved through North West England yesterday. Only a big error can deny him of a well deserved win in Bath today. Russell Brookes is on top in his personal duel with his fellow Briton, Jimmy McRae. But less than two minutes separate the two and McRae said: "If I have a trouble free run I still believe I can catch Russell."

At one point Brookes and 38 tig Blomqvist, as the Lombard

At one point Brookes, aged 38, from Worcester, entended his advantage to three minutes after the Scot had suffered a front wheel puncture. Brookes said: "I don't know if I'll be able to hold off Jimmy in the forest stages, but things are going quite well."

Blomqvist has been faster than all his rivals in 27 of the stages and went into last night's stage through the Welsh forests confident of repeating his 1971 victory. He has been out in front since Saturday afternoon.

Fortunately there was no repeat of Sunday's disastrous crash, which could cost Mikkola a hat-trick of wins, when he returned to Knowsley Safan Park in Liverpool yesterday

### Chinese moving towards a new Formula

Blissett: booed by his own supporters in Milan

two or three years, according to Yuan Zaijun, the vice-president of the China Sports Service Company (CSSC). Yuan led a five-man delegation to this Portuguese-administered Chinese territory last weekend for the annual Formule weekend for the annual Formula
Three Macao Grand Prix and met

Three Macao Grand Prix and met organizers.

He said he expected support from Japan and Hongkong as well as Macao in helping China take part in races in the region. He said Chinese drivers lacked experience but some would go to Macao and other centres for international competition. China's race circuit, in the town of Lou Shan, was built in town of Lou Shan, was built in 1959.

BOXING: Larry Holmes, the World Boxing Council (WBC) heavyweight champion, took a verbal swipe at Joe Frazier yesterday when he claimed the former world champion was reliving his career through his

IN BRIEF

Macao (Reuter) - China may hold Formula two and three motor races at a circuit near Peking within

23-year-old son, Marvis, Holmes meets Marvis in a 12-round non-title bout in Las Vagas on Friday. GOLF: Celtic International Insurance, a Galway company, are to sponsor a £77,000 pro-am tournament, to be known as the Celtic international Quincentennial Classic, at Galway from August 9 to 12 next year. All the leading players from the European tour are

AMERICAN FOOTBALL

Deltas Cowboys Washington Rede St Louis Cardinals Philadelphia Eags New York Glants CENTRAL

BILLIARDS VALLETTA: Word amateur championship: Group A: M Forreira (Ind) bt R Foldwari (Aus): M Mirmon (Scot) bt A Michiel (Metin): L A Bus (Pak) bt H Griffiths (Wales): Group B: A Agrawat (Ind) bt J Green (Matta): N Degley (Eng) bt H Botely (Srl Lanks): V Elui (Matia) bt R Lim (Sing). REAL TENNIS HEAL TENENS
OUTENS CLUB: British Open Stagles championable: Second round: C Lursley (Hotyport) bt R MacKetzie 6-2, 6-4, 6-9; £ Dauchter (Hampton Courf) bt K King (Hatflett) 6-3, 6-0, 6-3, M Deen bt R Hollington 6-0, 6-2,

ICE SKATING ICE HOCKEY SQUASH RACKETS British closed veteraris champi Grundy (Yorksture) to P Kirl 2-9, 8-8, 9-5, 9-1, British clos Championathip Snat: B Finner ire) by J Cerr (Nottinghamehire).

SCHLIEREN: Swiss Open: Pinet: John Khan (Pak) bt D Williams (Aus), 9-5, 9-3, 9-2 RUGBY UNION: Rosslyn Pari have refused to travel to play Waterloo on Samulay because they do not approve of using an alternative pitch after Blundellsards was given up for a county championship match between Lancashire and Surrey.

in Bormio by attaching wheels to his skis and training on tarmac. The World Series
Alpine championships begin in Bormio today - on artificial snow.

# Lynch defies Surrey and remains with rebel team in South Africa

Though advised not to do so he stays with Surrey he will be West Indian side, there would by his county, Surrey, and competing with Sylvester be no question of their not threatened by the Test and Clarke and Geoff Howarth for forfeiting their eligibility for County Cricket Board with rustication if he should, Monte Lynch has decided to stay in whether Lynch's Surrey regis-South Africa and to bonour his tration was considered to date. commitment to the West Indian as it does now, from 1977 (in side now on an 11-week tour of which case he and one of the the Republic. The excurive other two could play in the committee of the TCCB announced last week that, if being reclassified, he would also yunch were to play in South have to be re-registered. Africa, they would recommend to the full board, at their is that the TCCB will relent in meeting on December 13, that so far as allowing Lynch to his English qualification should be cancelled.

Early vesterday morning the form Test cricket for these cancelled.

Early yesterday morning Surey contacted Lynch in Pretoria and presented him with the party line. Soon afterwards they issued a statement which said that, while they disagreed with the TCCB's ce, they had told Lynch that it might, in the long run, be in his and their own best interests to heed the board's warning. Soon after midday Lynch rang back to say that he would be staying in South Africa.

Has he now burnt his boats so far as ever playing for England (his avowed ambition) is concerned? Will he, in fact, no longer be classified as an Englishman, which he is at the moment by reason of having lived in Walton on Thames since, as a boy, he came to

Should he be reclassified as an "overseas" player, so long as

### **Pakistan** change captain

Islamabad (Reuter) The Pakista-al cricket authorities yesterday raied that Isarau Khan, the captain, would take no part in the current series in Australia and said that Zaheer Abbas, vice-captain, would take over the captaincy for the remaining four Test matches.

Nur Khan, president of the Board of Control for Cricket in Pakistan, said in Lahore that the decision was said in Langue that the decision was taken by the board's council yesterday in the light of latest medical reports about lauran's fitness, the Associated Press of Pakistan reported.

Iman, who is suffering from a stress fracture of the left shin, was appointed best mouth to lead the team to Australia for the five-Test match series. He missed the first Test to Perth and said has week that he was not optimistic about being fit for the second Test match beginning to Brickstone on Friday.

Nor Khan said Imran would not be called home and he had been advised to get treatment in Asstralia. The BCCP would pay all his medical expenses. If Imran recovers before the end of the tour, he will play under Zaheer Abbas.

**TENNIS** 

A Briton at

pains to

win quickly

By a Special Correspondent When Linda Geeves, of Middle-

sex, who manages to play the game and commentate at the same time,

what energy she had on any theatrical nonsense.".

So, the match was one of the most silent on offer, Miss Geeves winning 6-4, 7-6. When 2-4 down in the second set tie-break, Miss Geeves told her father that she would have

to pull out if the match went to three sets. She was suffering from stomach cramps and, as she

stomen cramps and, as she haughingly pointed out later, it had hardly belped when two spectators observed at the start that she was not looking too good.

In desperation, however, Miss

In desperation, however, Miss Gerves took the next five points to win the tie-break 7-4 and secure one of her best results of the year. Her volleying was particularly impressive and her game unusually relaxed, something her father thought had much to do with the way she was feeling.

rayne Gracie, of Manchester, 2-6, 7-6, 6-1. Several times in the second set Miss Gracie came to the net on

one, or at the best two, available England. places. This would depend upon

him from Test cricket for three years, as they did Gooch and the 14 other Englishmen who went to South Africa early lan year. Even if they do that there must be a chance of their being sued for restraint of trade, with Lynch being supported by South African money. At the time of last year's ban there were those who considered that the TCCB would have been on a sticky wicket had they been

taken to court. Lynch and Surrey did seem to me to be wanting the best of both worlds in thinking that Lynch, because he is West Indian, could play for a West Indian side, albeit an unrepresentative one, in South Africa without jeopardizing his English qualification. If Lamb and Christopher Smith were to play for South Africa in their forthcoming series with the



orgent need to send a replacement, but added that Sariraz Nawaz and a iber of other pace bowlers, as

Imran was appointed captain last mouth against the wishes of the selection committee which resigned

The board was later criticized by seleral Pakistani cricket writers since Imran has not been fit enough to play on the tour.

From the point of view of the black cricketers in South Africa I am delighted Lynch will be playing there. He could light a candle, perhaps even a bonfire, in the townships. The Surrey manager, Mickey Stewart, said last night that he was sorry Lynch had spoiled his chances of selection for England, at any rate for a while. He also expressed a wish that the case be kept out of the cours, a sentiment which will be shared by the TCCB who, whatever they decide, now have another regulation concerning players regulation concerning players from overseas to tighten up.

PRETORIA: Alvin Kallicharran scored a rapid 92 as the rebel West Indian team showed more of their true form on the final day of their three-day match against Northern Tran-svaal yesterday (Reuter re-ports). But the winning target of 272 proved too much and once

the Guyanese left-hander had dismissed the tourists settled for a draw. outplayed in every department over the first two days. But over the last two sessions they staged a respectable challenge. They had reached 183 for five when the match was called off SCORES: Northern Transveel 288 for 9 dec (W Morris 73, L. Bermard 60) and 136 for 5 dec; West Indian 21 153 (F Weldezden 4 for 25) and 183 for 5 (A Kallicharran 92).

### From red to black in Gloucester

Gloncestershire made a profit of £21,000 in the year ending September 30. That, they say in their annual report, is a "mirade". Faced with a projected loss of more than £50,000, and subsequent insolvency, there was a dramatic turn in fortunes at the end of the

greatly increased contribution from the Test and County Board; the superb weather at Cheltenham, which lead to record gate receipts and last-minute sponsorship; sale of treasury stock; increased donations; and a greater surplus from the lessop Taverners Club. The club are will 65 000 in the west from still £65,000 in the red from

previous years.

Lancashire have recovered from their record loss of £115,000 in 1982 to make a profit of £15,000 on last season. Ground advertising at Old Trafford was up by £65,000 and there were substantial increases in

Cedric Rhoedes; the Lancashire chairman said yesterday: "Everyone at the club has worked tremendously hard in fighting back after the 1982 disaster".

RACING: DRY WEATHER CONTINUES TO DECIMATE FIELDS

Parting of the ways for John Burke and Paddys Belle in Plumpton's November Hurdle

# Smith is sweet on Midnight Love

egend in his lifetime and a triumphant advertisement for the toughness and vitality of the human spirit Complaining about the drought that has hardened the gallops and made life so difficult for those involved in racing the 73-yearold trainer said yesterday: "Its all so dull. We don't know what to do when we get up in the

However hopes are still growing that Everett is going to provide the grand old man of steeplechasing with an incredible eighth triumph in the Hennessy Cognac Gold Cup at Newbury on Saturday. "This is one of my few horses that doesn't mind the going." the trainer said. "He's been working really well and cannot be handicapped. Conceivably a fairy tale could yet come true." Everett is owned by by Kilian

Hennessy and was bred by the late Mrs Peggy Hennesy ex-pressly for the purpose of attempting to win the race sponsored by the family. Bregawn, the winner of the

Hennessy as well as the and Cheltenham Gold Cup last finish season has been withdrawn year. because of the going. Ashley House and Marnik therefore become the only two possible runners for Michael Dickinson from the 17 that were declared Haydock Park

Tote: Double 2.0, 3.0. Trebie 1.30, 2.30, 3.30

.30 BRYN HURDLE (handicap: £1,381: 2m) (3) 6 0.6-002 ABLYCHECT (D) (J Blandell) J Blandell 5-11-7 ... 7 11000-1858 LOVE (C.D) (W Love) Damy Smith 5-11-3 ... 17 132464 DOUBLE DISCOURT (D) (Ars J Remeden) C Jame

2.30 NORWEST HOLST CHASE (23,033: 2m) (4)

7-4 Keybarlort, 9-4 Super Solo, \$ Deep Hidge, 5 Sampe

3.0 COUNTY CHASE (handicap: 92,742: 2m 4f) (2)

15 1334-21 MAGIC TEP (D) OR Beneart J Blumbell 10-11-12 6 ad 22 84-221 OREEN DOLLHAM SA'S C Stack Mrs C Stack 9-10-2 .....

3.30 WEAVERHAM HURDLE (3-y-o novices: \$1,278: 2m) (8)

7-4 Mee's GRt, 5-2 Hervester Gold, 7-2 Moorlight Bay, 7 Top Touch, 10 Armiversary Toke 12 offsets.

Haydock selections By Michael Seely

Summer Path, 1.30 Abu Torkey, 2.0 Weyward Lad. 2.30 Deep Ridge
 Magic Tipp. 3.30 Harvester Gold.

1-2 Abu Torkey, 5-2 Miss Love, 8 Double Discount.

1.0 BILLINGE HURDLE (novices: £1,178: 2m 4f) (4 runners)

1 23p-21 SUBMER PATH (W Brystor) M Carnacho 5-11-8 8 5300-01 SOUND OF LAUGHTER (Am 8 Burguard J Blundes 5-11-2 ... WILDRUSH (W C Warra) W Warra 4-10-9 2 PAULEE LEBLEY (Maj P Belley) J Wilson 4-10-4 4-5 Sound Of Laughter, S-4 Surrorer Path, 6 Wildrush, 10 Pauline Leeley.

2.0 EDWARD HANNER CHASE (limited handicap: 25,983: 3m) (3)

23-1923 SUPER SOLO (2) (A M Devideon PD Ltd) 6 Richerds 7-11-7 ...
80398-1 REVNISORY (D) (Am R Heggle) J Resoluted 5-11-6 ...
229-229 SAMPRON (H Johnson) Demys South 6-11-2 ...
1498-44 DEEP RIDGE (Shelish Af Abu Khumsin) Mrs M Planet 5-11-9 ...

Fulke Walwyn remains a at yesterday's four-day stage of Gaye Chance. Approaching gend in his lifetime and a acceptors. who beat only seven rivals for important advertisement for However, the trainer who Josh Gifford in 1978, is a certain runner and is on offer at In view of the doubts about the Dickinson pair, the odds against both Midnight Live and

showed such boldness when announcing his plans for the future on Monday was in one of his indecisive moods when discussing the present situation. "Ashley House is not 100 per cent sound after pulling a

Everett appear likely to con-tract. Considering Walwyn's Frost threatens meetings Today's race meeting at Haydock Park and Ladlow both depend on early-morning inspections. Heavy oversight firest is forecast at both comrast. The Haydock stewards will inspect at 7.15 and at Ladlow a decision will be made after a look at morning." Major Philip Arkwright, cierkof the course at Haydock, announced coutingency plans cur-ceraing the Edward Hanner Chase, He said: "Should we lose tomorrow's racing then the Edward Hammer Chase will be carried forward to Thursday, making a seven-race card. The race will be the e course et 7.30. The cierk of the course at Ladion

Major John Moon, said yesterday. The local forecast is deplemble. first on the card, and will be timed at 12.30." The overnight temperature is forecast to drop to unions -8 Centigrade and is not expected to rise above zero before 11.30 in the Should either meeting be low will be the first abandonment or

muscle at Wincanton and Marnik's blood count is not normal. I'm doing my best to keep everyone informed, but its only fair to say that there were similar doubts about Bregawn and Captain John before they finished first and second last

William Hills make Midnight Love their favourite at 9-2. They then go 5-1 Everett, 11-2 House and Marnik and 7-1 these things have a habit of leveling themselves out." Midnight Love has been made favourite on the strength of his defeat of Kndos at Newcastle, Handicaps experts consider the winner of five races two seasons ago to be the pick of the weights. Last season Midnight Love failed to win a

Denys Smith is hopeful of a good performance from his first runner in the Hennessy during his 28-year career as trainer.
"Basically Midnight Love was
too high in the handicap last season. He's to my liking now. To be sure he misses the odd fence out, but what horse doesn't?"
Because of the underfoot

conditions Silver Buck is unable to attempt to record his fifth successive victory this after-noon's Edward Hanmer Memorial Chase at Haydock. How-ever, Wayward Lad will make a more than able deputy for the 1981 Cheitenham Gold Cup winner. The jumping of last season's King George VI Chase winner was spectacular at Wetherby in October

Frank Ossood, the clerk of the course at Newbury, reports that the going is firm. "There's a good covering of grass, but there has been no serious rain since There are only 21 runners in the remaining five races on the October 15. The people I'm sorry for are the trainers, as its Lanacshire course. John Biundell can land a double by winning the Bryn Hurdle with Abu Torkey and the County Handicap Chase with Magic impossibite get horses ready to race under these conditions. And if the rain comes suddenly, we'll probably by flooded, as

# Stone's appeal turned down

Keith Stone's appeal against the elegation of Permabos from first to second place in the Torn Masson Trophy Hule at Newbury on November 2 was dismissed by the Jockey Club's disciplinary committee yesterday.

mines yesterday.

The race was run in thick fog and almost led to a riot among disgrantled punters with police and ring inspectors called to the weighing room. The lockey Club rubbed salt into the Malton trainer's wounds by ordering his £130 deposit to be forfeited - an act the trainer described as "eriminal".

Stone was also furious that at

deposit to be forfeited - an act derainer described as "eriminal".

Stone was also hirious that at
yesterdays hearing the committee
relied on a different film of the race
than the one he saw at Newbury on
November 2. "It was a clearer
version, although I would still have
specaled," he said, "I'm very upset
and disappointed."

The committee upheld the
decision of the Newbury stewards to
award the race to David Nicholson's
Commanght River because of
interference by Permabos between
the final two flights.

The disciplinary committe of the
jockey Club also considered an
appeal by David Wilson, the trainer
of Gamblers Dream, against the
decision of the Sandown Park
stewards to impose a fine of £500
upon him in respect of the failure of
this horse to run in the Santa Anita
Sprint on October 19. Having

this horse to run in the Santa Antia Sprint on October 19. Having considered the evidence the com-mittee found that he failed to comply with the requirement of paragraph (D) of the special conditions which applied to the Anglo-American Jockeys event, and therefore dismissed the appeal

### Suspension for Perrett

Mark Perrett was suspended for three days for careless riding at Southwell yesterday after winning on Mr Jet. The ban starts on December 1. Perrett, who lost his whip two flights from bome, brought Mr. Jet. the 6-4 favourite, home a winner by a neck from Ascenmoor in the Willow Novices Hurdle, Riberion was four lengths further away in third, Protests came from riders of both the placed horses. The stewards sustained the objection to the winner lodged by Derek Shaw (Ascenmoor), who objection to the wither longed by Derek Shaw (Ascenmoor), who claimed Mr Jet had "bumped and bored" his mount after the last flight and on the run for home. Scobis Coogan (Riberion) then objected to the first two, protesting that they had improved across his mount at the

had jumped across his mount at the last and squeezed him out.

The stewards sustained Coogan's objection to the winner, but over-ruled his complaint against Ascenmoor. Having sorted out the objections, the stewards awarded the race to Ascenmoor, placing Riberion second and Relagating Mr

They found that Mr Jet bad accidentally interfered with Riberion, but considered the interference he caused Ascenmoor was due to Perceu's careless riding, Perrett had earlier won the Birch Novices Chase on the evens favourite, Just For The

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### Doctors 'blundered' in US drugs walk-out

Indianapolis (Reuter) - Doctors with the United States Olympic Committee (USOC) were partially to blame for the withdrawal of 11 Aerican athletes from the Pan-American games in Caracas in A five-member commission was

and commentate at the same time, took the court against the Romanian, Florenta Mihai, in the first round of the Lawn Tennis Association satellite event at the Ace Tennis Centre, Coventry, yesterday it seemed that an eccentric match might ensue.

But Miss Mihai, who can cut so dark and tragic a figure, was in no mood to set worked up and Miss appointed by The Athletics Con-gress (TAC), the governing body of athletics in the United States, to athletics in the United States, to investigate circumstances surrounding the walk-out. Their report, released yesterday, said: "There is clear evidence to the effect that the medical forces with the USOC gave mood to get worked up and Miss Geeves, who had not eaten all day, felt she could ill afford to expend the TAC stuff. Some such advice, in

The report cited an example where one USOC doctor in Careas was reported to have said that testing equipment might be able to detect banned drugs within a year of athletes beginning to use them. The who set up the testing laboratory at Caracas, as dismissing that advice as "nonsense" and "more than an exaggeration."
The American weightlifter, Jeff

Moses speaks for depoliticized

promised land Lausanne (Reuter) - The athletes' commission of the International Olympic Committee issued a statement on Monday condemning the "repeated intrusion of politics in the Olympic movement."

Lisa Pennington, a former winner of the British 13 and under hard court championship, defeated Lor-rayne Gracie, of Manchester, 2-6. the Olympic movement."

The statement, drafted by Ed Moses of the United States, the world 400 metres hardles world champion and world record-lolder, at a meeting of the eight-member commission here, said: "We feel that the majority of today's competitors would like to be able to harvest the fruits of their dedicated efforts and compete without undue political influence or stress." PREST ROUND: J Warrings (Neith) bt R Howelt fire), 6-1; 6-1; 1. Pennington bt L Gracie, 2-6, 7-6, 6-1; E Jones bt N Lusty, 6-3, 6-1; C Dentels (JUS) bt S Michelson (Rv), 8-2, 2-6, 8-2; C Pullerton (US) bt B Borneo, 6-1, 6-2; L Geeves bt F Minst (Rom), 6-4, 7-6; I Custo (WG) bt E Walliam (ROM), 6-2, 6-2; S Sullivan bt J Rick, 6-3, 7-8.

Michels, was among 16 competitors from 10 countries who were disualified and stripped of their medals at the games after tests showed they had used illegal drugs, primarily anabolic seroids. All told, I.A.A. accions the prophers left. 4 American team members lef Caracas abruptly, fanning suspicion that more might have been using drugs to boost their performances.

The TAC commission said a decision was taken, well before the games to test for drugs at future Olympic trials and at all TAC outdoor championships. The decision will be implemented and will be well publicized.

The panel also said confusion surrounding which drugs were illegal and whether certain drugs were dangerous to health contributed to the problem. Last September USOC created a task force on drug control, a principal function of which will be research and educational activities.

Since new drugs appear on the market almost daily, a list of banned drugs can never be totally up to date, the commission said. It suggested a list of "safe" drugs for stated medical problems be made

### Cram's course for Olympic examinations

Steve Cram may undertake two overseas training periods in his build-up to next year's Olympic

Cram, already the hoder of the Cram, aircarly the hoder of the world, European and Commonwealth 1,500 metres championships, is considering spending a few weeks in Boulder, Colorado, in addition to his five-week visit to Australia and New Zealand.

"Nothing has been settled defitely short entire to America, but I am

about going to America, but I am certainly thinking about it. I have twice taken an Easter break in Boulder and it has worked well,"

### Little rest for Jack Ramsey Matt McCormack, the Wantage rainer, is not wasting any time with

trainer, is not wasting any time with Jack Ramsey, 3-1 on winner of the November Three-year-old Novice Hurdle (Div II) at Plumpton yesterday. McCornnack plans to run the gelding, who is unbesten in three races, at Folkestone on Monday. Winning jockey Paul Barton was completing a double initiated by Falkland Palace in the BBC Radio Susser Chase.

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RECORD DANGER is g by Dance's image—
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first winner when partnering Mercredi, trained by his father Michael, to victory in the Stanmer Conditional Jockeys Selling Handicap Hurdle, But the celebrations had to be delayed when a stewards inquiry was announced. The stewards inquiry was announced. The stewards inquired into possible interference between Metaretti and runner-up Allado after the final flight. However, the result was allowed to stand, much to the relief of the Madgwick family.

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### Chepstow race named after **Prince Charles**

remarkable record in the big race, the 5-1 against Everett

must represent sound value.

By Michael Phillips, Racing Correspondent

Chepstow racecourse is to name a race after the Prince of Wales. The Clerk of the course, John Hughes, announced yesterday that the Prince of Wales Chase will be run for the first time at their next meeting on.
December 3. It will be run over two
miles, for five-year-olds and
upwards and will be for mares only,
at the specific request of Prince

Charles.

Chepstow is also to stage a race in memory of Shaikh Ali Aba Khamsin's brilliant but ill-fated novice hurdler, Deep Wealth, who won his first three paces over hurdles last season but fell three out in the Panama Cigar Hurdle Final on the course last March and collapsed and died as he was being led bark.

collapsed and died as he was being led back.

The Shaikh who has been leading-owner under National Hunt rules for the past two seasons, is showing his great affection for the sport by putting up £15,000 for the Deep Wealth Memorial Hurdle which will replace the Panama Cigar Hurdle Steel.

olds only and run on March 10.
Shaikh Ali has also said that if any of his own houses finish in the frame the prize-money will be given to the Apprentice School Chantable Trust for the British Racing School for the British Racing School

It was also announced yesterday that Coral's, the bookmakers, have increased their commitmion for this year's Welsh National on December 27, making it up to £22,000, the richest race ever staged at Chepstow. Last year's winner, Corbiere, went on to complete the great double when he won the Grand National at Aintree, and Jeanny Pinnan's eight-year-old is among the 91 entries for next month's Welsh National with two other previous winners, Peaty Sandy and Narvik.

Mrs Pitman intends trying to win the Chepstow marathon again with Corbiere, but at present her plans to get him on to a course are being frustrated by the continuing firm ground.

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Michael Dickinson has made five entries for the race – Ashley House, Cavity Hunter, Gay Spartan, Righthand Man and Captain John, who was the odds on favourite for the race last year in which he ran badly because he pulled muscles in his back.

The total prize-money at stake at The total prize money at stake at Caepstow on December 27 will be

the course. The £7,500 Finals Junior Hurdle, for three-year-olds, and 2 Haig Whisky Qualifier are the main

Robert Sangster was again in the news when his Swettenham Stud in Cheshire, selling for the first time at Goffs, made a total of 382,000 Irish gainess for nine mares. They all went into the ring without reserve on the fourth day of the record-making November sale in County Kildare. The top-priced lot in the dreft was Transit a four-wear-old chaft was Transit a four-year-old Thatch mare for which Tommy Stack paid 125,000 Irish guineas. SALL-YOE chi g by Ballymois - Song Of The to (P Simpson) 8-11-7 J J O'Nell (1-4 fav) 7 Old Castis Line V McKesti (8-1) 2

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3.15 HALFORD HURDLE (novices: £483; 2m) (16) 3.15 HALFORD HURDLE (novices: 2483: 2m) (16)

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Ludlow selections

12.45 The Knife. 1.15 Cornedian. 1.45 Latin American. 2.15 Queensway Boy. 2.45 Lodge's Fortune. 3.15 Harford.

# Southwell results

TOTE: Wir: £1.60. DP: £4.80. CSP: £9.75. Leigh at Geimborough. 1½, dist. 4 nan. only

1.15 SYCAMORE HUNDLE (selling handless £508.2m 4) RIVER WARROW b g by Forlow River — Wounded Knee (J Bradley) 5-11-2 Doubles (5-2) 1 G Davise (5-2) 3
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Little Tyrast — P Corrigen (4-1) 3 Little Tyrent: 32.0. Pieces: E2.00, 21.40. Dir. TOTE: Wife: 53.20. Pieces: E2.00, 21.40. Dir. 26.70. CSP: 57.52. J Bradley at Chapsatow VI, 15. Cheeky Marslay (7-1) 4th. 8 rat. NR: Problint, Lord Charles. bought in 1,000 gas. 1.45 MANTHORN CHASE (handicap: £1,454: - Sno 110yd)

TOTE: Win: \$1.20. DP: \$1.40. CSF: \$2.40. H theraps at Wetherby, \$1.3 ran, only 2 finished. 2.15 ALDER HURDLE (2944: 2m) RESTORER 5 g Ribero True Dreeden(D) Richards 5-10-8 J J O'Neil (1-21m) 1 Seed Edn Mr. Duracody(11-1) 2 Galeidhern P Daves(4-1) 3 TOTE: Wit: 21.38, Places: 21.00, 22.60, DF: 23.90, CSF: 25.78, B McMahon at Tarrecorn, 4, 8, Wise Man (20-1) 4th, 5 ran. 2.45 BIRCH CHASE (novices: £882; Sm 110 rds TOTE Win: £1.60. DR: £1.60. CSP: £2.50, K Belley at East Opiny, 71, 157, Public Relations (4-1) 481. 4 ran NR: Prory Crest. TOTE: Wire EA.BO. Please: F1.90, 22.70, DF-E9.00, CSF: E39.03, 5 Bowing at Southwell. No. 4, Commensury Goy [2-1] 4th. 7 ran. NP: Minary Wheeles. Mr. Jet fin 1st, clied, SA Ascentinger for 2nd award race. PLACEPOT:

# 7.30 oriess stated UEFA Cup d., first leg Austrie Vienne v inter Miten (6.0) Beyern Munich v Tottenham H (7.0) Leine v Anderlach (7.0) Nottingham F v Calife Radnicki hile v Hejdak Spit (4.0) Sparta Rotterdam v Spartak Moscow (7.0) Sham Graz v Lottendel Leipzig (6.0) Wetford v Sparta Prague

PROTEALL COOKERNATION: Bristol Rovers v Cherison (2.30); Laloster v Chelses (2.0); Milhell v Queen's Park Rangers (2.0);

### **TODAY'S FIXTURES**

CENTRAL LEAGUE. First divinies: Aston Ville v Sheffield Linhed (7.0); Blackbarn v Sunderland (7.0); Botton v Leeds (7.0), Second division: Huddetsfield v Manchester Chy; Pot.

STARAN LEAGUE Sec

REPRESENTATIVE MATCHES: Acmy v Essex FA (at Aldershot: Cembridge University v FA XI

# CLIM HATCHER: Cambridge University v Michay Stande-Bodger's XV (2.20); Ebbe Valle v Sauth Gimorgan Installatin (7.15); Glamorgan Venderers v Cheherhem (7.15); Glamorgan Venderers v Cheherhem (7.15); Glamorgan Venderers v Cheherhem (7.15); Glamorgan Venderers v Cosh Velies Polica (7.1); Liati CHARPENCHEP: South East Group playtic Lizetta School of Economics v Stande; Surrey v Cast Angla.

HOCKEY BETY Essex XI (2.19).
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offic Men: Surrey v University College, London;
Statetor v Brunet, Womer: Kent v Essex;
Statetor v University College, London

OTHER SPORT

# Plumpton results

TOTE Wice 21.10. Pieces 21.00, 21.50. DF-21.80. CSP: £4.14. G Prichard-Gordon at Newmarket. 113, St. Papperwood 55-1) 48. 8

TOTE Wir. £1.20. Places: £1.00, £1.70. DF: £2.10. CSF: £2.85. M McCorrected Workings. 101, £14. From The Febr (50-1) 4th, 6.res. PLACEPOT: E2.78.

SQUASH RACKETS

# Jahan deserves credit for a wise decision

The best player eligible for the men's event has not entered for the British national championships, to be played at Sheffield from December 9 to 15. Instead, Hidayat Jahan, who ranks third in the world, may compete at Cologne in the West German Open championship, which will take place at the same time. The Sheffield title should therefore go to one of the men who have contested the men who have contested the last two finals: Gawain Briars, last year's winner, and Philip Kenyon, the 1981 champion.

Jahan, a Pathan, born at Lahore, has lived in England since 1974 and has an English wife. He became a British citizen in July, and last month played for his adopted country in the world team champion-ship in New Zealand. The

widely experienced pro-fessional. By nature and back-ground he is better equipped than anyone else to achieve a rapport between the game's dominant coachers: Anglo-Saxon and Pakistani. For all these reasons he has long been one of the most respected and prominent officers of the International Squash Palyers'

This last point identifies one of three obvious causes for Jahan's dilemma. The ISPA consider that the Sheffield Prize Fund - a total of £8,000 for the men, of which the winner takes £1,350 - is less than it should be for the national championship. Should such an influential ISPA officer as Jahan condone this

alleged injustice by competing?
It could reasonably be argued that the title is more important than the money and that in the present economic climate the



Jahan: best player

The other, more pressing problems for Jahan, were posed by opposing schools of thought forthcoming British National within the British game. Some Championship, the first for thought he needed to compete which Jahan has been eligible, put him in a difficult position.

Jahan is a genial, sensitive and responsible man and a widely experienced prosperitude.

Which Jahan has been eligible, in order to prove that he was i of British parentage - a line of thinking that must exclude Jahan. In this situation there was no way in which he could satisfy everyone.

Jahan has already proved beyond doubt that he is a better player than Briars or Kenyon. In this respect his position recalls that of Jonah Barrington in 1980. Barrington had con-flicting allegiances (Irish, Welsh and English) but Primarily represented Ireland. He had no great incentive to become British champion and his creer was winding down anyway. But Barrington was needled into competing in Sheffield in order to prove that at the age of 39 he was still British number one. He did so, beating Kenyon and Briars in consecutive matches.

All things considered, Johan's decision reflects more credit on prize fund is as much as can be him than it does on a vocal expected. But the ISPA have a minority who want to use it to policy and to see some extent advance this or that petty point Jahan represent that policy.

### Barrington's biography



Barrington: refuses to be shackled by conventions

# Dramatic life that is stranger than fiction

The astonishing story of Jonah Barrington, one of the greatest of all British sportsmen, has been plainly but admirably told in Jonah, by Ross Reyburn and Michael Emery (188 smarlly produced pages published by J M Deut at £8.95). The word "plainly" is a compliment to the ambors' discretion. They realized that such improbably dramatic material did not need dressing up in finory phrases.

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The book bears the sub-title "official biography" because Bar-rington himself was closely associated with its preparation and editing. The ring of truth resounds throughout, as this reviewer can personally testify. But truth is indeed stranger than fiction. Janah is reminiscent of Antonia Fraser's biography of Mary Queen of Scots biography of Mary Queen of Scots in that, had it been fictional, any publisher might reasonably have rejected the book on the grounds that its story was incredible.

Let us consider merely the bare bones of the tale. Barrington had a nervous breakdown at Cheltenham College and later went much of the way towards becoming an alcoholic way towards becoming an alcoholic before he was sent down from Trinity University. But he transformed himself into an ascetic and a world champion in spite of the fact that he made a late start in competitive squash and, except in terms of character, was not particularly gifted to excel at it.

As the authors point out: "Most people are congenitally unable to change their character after having passed through their formative years and it is one of Jonah's more years and it is the to Johan's most impressive achievements that he managed to do so." Barrington changed himself physically, too. The details of his new life-style and severe regimen of training and

practice make awesome reading. He was tampering with nature, challenging the apparent frontiers of his strength and stamina and skill. He went too far; and in his middle 30s was sharply reminded that, although he had asked no more of his body than was possible, he had asked more than was wise. Physically, he was suddenly in decline.

At the peak of his career this extraordinary, many-sided man had a romantic but briefly scandalous liaison with his presnt wife, whose first marriage was then breaking down. A worrying challenge of a different kind was his brittle on-

court relationship with an Austra-bian rival, Cameron Nancarrow. This culminated in a Johannesburg shower room when Barrington waded into Nancarrow with his

Barrington respects the conven-tions but refuses to be shackled by them. He has mostly lived his life on the side of the angels but has never bees entirely free from the devil within. The authors tell the truth about that Barrington has qualities found only in great men -flaws included. He was and is that uncommon creature, a practica dreams and make them happen and, at the same time, open windows in the minds of everyone around him. The seeds were always there

planted deeply in history. Barring-ton's genteel but often cocentric family had links with the sea, the Army, politics, and possibly the Welsh princes. He probably in-herited strength of character from his Welsh mother and a quirky nature from his Irish father. The latter was a retired Army officer and former Fascist sympatiniser whose domestic diversions included an armouty, a model railway, and a armoury, a model railway, and a collection of toy soldiers – all housed in a secret room concealed behind a bookease. Barrington senior was also a volubly stimulating talker and an enthusiastic military historian with an obsessive

veneration for Napoleon. As you may reasonably assume from all this, the Barrington story is peopled by innusual characters and enlivened by strange stories. The authors have bound all the threads neatly ingether and, in the process have achieved a balanced portrays

have achieved a balanced portrayal of an extraordinary man.

The book begins well an ends even better, with a summing up that includes an absorbing insight into what Barrington and his chief rival, Gooff Hum, thought of each other. There is an implied distinction between the most successful player, Hum, the greatest – Hashim Khan, Azam Khan, or Barrington?

This Barrington biography has the cheek to end with a hint that Azam may have been the greatest of them all. Full marks for impartiality. The authors have not written

tiality. The authors have not written a great book but they have written a good book about the most remarkable man I have ever known.

Rex Bellamy

# La crème de la crème

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The second is Church Farm Cottage, Middleton, Longparish, Hants, close by the River Test. Again in need of some modernization, the cottage has been re-thatched recently, has a beamed ceiling to the ground floor living room, and has three bedrooms. The guide price is £45,000.

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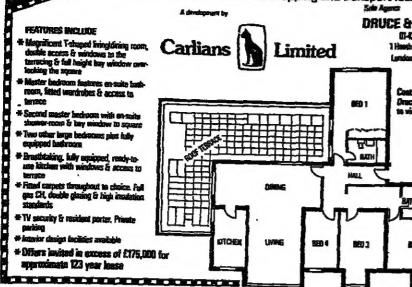
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# Today's television and radio programmes

Terence Stamp has chosen an unusual role to mark his debut as

with, in this first episode, the

introduction of the secret service

CHANNEL 4

programme in the series designed to encourage people of all shapes and ages to tone

their body to the sound of lively dance-based routines.

This evening Yvonne Ocampo Is joined by Evrol Puckerin

who liustrates progressions dance routine exercises (r).

Show\*. More comedy as a

heavyweight boxer for a husband moves into the flat opposite Bud and Lou. The

6.30 The Spice of Life. The parultimate programme of the

saries comes from Jamaica

and deals with the little-known

Allspice. Recipes for various dishes using alispice are explained. The narrator is

Edward Woodward.

abolition of Britain's

have on the arts.

7.50 Comment. On the political soap-box this week is the

8.00 Brookside, Harry Cross's

Grants while the younger generation's late-night

escapades gets them into trouble with their parents.

8.30 Twenty Twenty Vision: Equal

Opportunity Knocks. An investigation into the new

the low pay stratum. The

programme reports on the political row about the

emendment and then asks

whether legislation can solve the problems of women's inequality at work and their

Glenn Gould Plays Bach. The

In which the late Canadian

sensitive playing of Bach's works. Tonight there is a film made in 1981 of Gould's

recording The Goldberg Variations at the CBS st

**Dutrone and Robert Dherry** 

science fiction film about a

holocaust whose existence is

threatened by another group saved from oblivion. Directed

The first showing on Briti television for this French

group of survivors from a

by Christian de Chalonge.

ubtitled in English.)

10.05 Film: Malevil (1981) starring

Michel Serrault, Ja

lack of promotion and

opportunity.

In New York.

equal pay amendment designed to lift women from

7.00 Channel Four News with Peter

Sissons. The programme includes a report from Stephen Phillips and Nick Glass on the effectine

metropolitan authorities will

Labour member of parliamer for Birkenhead, Frank Field.

husband seeks revenge when he thinks that Bud is taking too

beautiful bionde with a jealous

6.00 The Abbott and Costel

numbers con

**Edited by Peter Dear** 

5.50 The Devil to Pay: Jane Wenham reads the short story by Elaine

Eveleigh, 9.10 Faust in Music: Liszt's A Faust

9.10 Faust in Music: Liszt's A Faust Symphony features Horst Leubenthal (tenor), with the Vienna Youth Choir and Berlin Radio SO, conducted by Riccardo Chalily.;

10.25 Arnold Bax Centenary: with Michael Goldthorpe (tenor) and Howard Strelley and Hillary Machamara (two planos), includes the first performance of Bax's From the uplands to the sea (1905).†

Radio 2

News on the hour (except 8.00pm and 9.00). Major bulletins 7.00am, 8.00, 1.00pm, 5.00 and 12.00 midnight. Headtines 5.30, 6.30, 7.30am (Mr/MW). 5.00am Ray Moore.1 7.30 Terry Wogan.1 18.00 Jimmy Young including 11.02 Raily Desk.1 12.00 Music Vinile You Work.1 21.30 Gloria Hunniford.1 2.02 Struggt to the part of the pa

You Work.t 21.30 Gloria Humiltord.t 2.02 Sports Desk, f 2.30 Ed Stewart.t 3.02 Sports Desk, 4.00 David Hamilton.t 4.02, 5.30 Sports Desk, 6.00 John Dunnt Including 6.45 Sport and Classified Results (mt only), 7.30 Frank Chacksfield.f 8.15 Listen to the Eand.t 9.00 TheOrganist Entertains (§), 9.30 Hubert Gregg says Thanks for the Memory, 9.57 Sports Desk, 10.00 The Impressionists, 10.30 Brian Mathew presents Around Midnight (stereo from midnight), 1,00am Folk on 2.1 2.05-5.09 Patrick Lunt: You and the Night and the Music.t

Radio 1

News on the half-hour 5-30em-8-30pm, then at 12-00 midnight (MF/MW). 5.00em Adrian John. 7.00 Mike Read. 9.00 Simon Bates. 11.30 Mike Smith, Including 12-30 Newsbeat 2.00 Steve Wright. 4.30 Janice Long, including 5-30 Newsbeat. 6.05 Top 30 album chart. 7.00 David Jensen. 10.00-12-00 John Peel. 1 VHF Radios 1 and 2: 5.00 New With Baris 2, 10 00-12 000em

5.00am With Radio 2. 10.00-12.00pm With Radio 1, 12.00-5.00am With Radio

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sea (1905).† 11.15 News. Until 11.18.

BBC 1

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6.00 Coolar AM 6.30 Breakfast Time with Frank Bough and Selina Scott. News from Fern Britton at 8.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00 and 8.30 with adlines on the quarter headunes on the quarter hours; regional news, weather and traffic at 6.45, 7.15, 7.45 and 8.15; television previewed at 6.55; a review of the morning papers at 7.18 and 8.18; That's Life file between 7.30 and 7.45 with the phone in between 8.30 and 9.00; Mike Smith's pop news between 7.45 and 8.00; and horoscopes

9.00 Mastermind (r). 9.30 Closedown. 10.30 Play School presented by Fraser Wilson (r). 10.55 Gharbar: 11.20

Closedown. 12.30 News After Noon with Richard Whitmore and Frances Coverdale. The weather prospects come from Jim Bacon. 12.57 Regional news (London and SE only: Financial report followed by news headlines with subtitles). 1.00 Pebble MIII at One introduces a new resident cook - Bob Symes whose speciality is ad hoc cookery, lan Dury sings his latest release, 1.45 Hokey

Cokey. 2.90 Film: The Mortal Storm\* (1940) starring James Stewart and Margaret Sullavan. The story of a professor of a small German university town persecuted by the Nazis in German university town persecuted by the Nazis in 1935. Directed by Frank Borzage. 3.35 Cartoons: Two from MGM, The Calico Dragon and Half Pint Pygmy. 3.53 Regional news (not London).

3.55 Play School presented by Rosalind Wilson. 4.20 Mighty Mouse (r). 4.25 Jackanory. Part three of The Railway Children (r). 4.40 Screen Test. 5.05 John Craven's Newsround, 5.10 Carrie's War. Part one of the five-part drama about London-evacuated children during World War Two (r).

5.40 Sixty Minutes includes national news from Moira Stuart at 5.40 and regional news magazines at 5.53. 6.40 Harty. Live from London's

> Harty's guests are Tracey Ullman with a song and lvy Benson with a band. 7.05 Dad's Army: A Wilson (Manager)?. A tribute to the late John Le Mesurier in the role by which he will always be

emembered – the world-reary Arthur Wilson (see Choice). 7.35 Last of the Summer Wine. The three old fogeys seize the chance to make a quick profit when they discover immates of a health farm desperate for

food (r). 8.05 Spyship. Episode three of the mystery story about the dublous disappearance of a British trawler in the Barenta

9.00 News with Sue Lawley. 9.25 Q.E.D.: How to be a Anthony Clare investigates the Better Baby Institute in

9.55 Sportsnight introduced by налу Сагре programme includes highlighs from one of tonight's European football matches nvolving a British club; the Daily Express National Five-a Side football Championships: and last night's middleweight bout between Britain's Tony Sibson and Manuel Jimenez of Puerto Rico.

11.05 One Night in Lincoln, More humourous tales and a song or two from Mike Harding (r). 11.38 News headlines.

11.40 What a Picture! Morgan Cross photograph album.

Service MF 648kHz/463m.

Tv-am 6.25 Good Morning Britain presented by Anne Diamond and John Stapleton. A review of the morning papers at 6.25, news from Gavin Scoti at 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 and 8.00; sport at 6.35 and 7.40; exercises at 8.45 and 8.18; Wincey and friends at 6.50 and 9.02; John Stapleton with a guest in the Spottight at 7.05; guest, Eartha Kim from 7.35; Fenton Bresler's casebook at 7.45; pop video at 7.55; Molly

Parkin's magic moments at 8.05; Eve Pollard's gossip column at 8.35; and closing news headlines at 9.23. HV/LONDON ...

9.25 Thames news headlines 9.30 For Schools: Gerald Durrell selects poetry that describes the animals which have been his life's work 9.47 Custom and ceremony in an English village 10.04 Winter on a Warwickshire farm 10.21 John Steinbeck's The Pearl 10.48 Glacial ice in Switzerland 11.22 Basic maths 11.39 How we

12.00 Button Moon. Puppet adventures of Spoon family 12.10 Rainbow, Learning with puppets (r) 12.30 Look Who's Talking Derek Batay's guest in Lional Blair who talks about his long and varied career.

1.00 Ne ws with Leonard Parkin 1.20 Thames news from Robin Houston 1.30 A Plus. Food allergies are discussed by Professor John Soothill, the author of a recent article on the subject in The Lancet and Dr John Mansfield who runs a food allergy clinic in Surrey. Kay Avila is in the chair 2.00 Take the High Road. 2.36 A Country Practice. Drama

serial surrounding a medical practice in the Australian outback 3.30 Sons and

Button Moon. A repeat of the programme shown at noon
4.15 Dangermouse (r) 4.20
Behind the Bike Sheds, A
musical look at school life 4.45
The Squad. Two of the police cadets witness a hit and run incident and undertake to trace the driver (r) 5.15

Diffrent Strokes. 5.45 News 6.00 Thames news 6.25 Help! Viv Taylor Gee with news of the Triangle Music Workshop - a community arts

6.35 Crossroads. Skd Hooper is unmoved by Sharon Metcaife's entreaties.

7.00 Name That Tune. Musical quiz presented by Tom O'Connor. 7.30 Coronation Street. Eddle Yeats is hoping to find a house to live in with his new bride but she, Marion, informs him that they may have to move in with 8.00 This is Your Life. The man

with the big red book and a microphone ambushes yet another unsuspecting victim. 5.30 Benny Hill, Highlights from the comedian's last series. With Henry McGee, Bob Todd and Jack Wright (r).

9.00 Chessgame. The first episode of a new six-part spy thriller starring Terence Stamp and Carmen du Sautoy. The discovery of the wrackage of an RAF transport plane missing for 27 years arouses the interest of the intelligence services of Britain, Russia and Israel (see Choice).

10.00 News followed by Thames news headlines. 10.30 Film: Breakout (1975) starring Charles Bronson, Robert Duvall and Jill Ireland. Drama about the springing from a Mexican laif a man wrongly sentenced to 28 years for a murder he did not commit. 12.20 Night Thoughts from the Rev Dr Charles Elliott

Carmen du Sautoy stars in Chessgame: ITV 9.00pm

27 years ego. Stamp doesn't seem to be totally at ease in this, for him, BBC 2 9.10 Daytime on Two: 5.00 Countdown. The words and atudying CSE and O-level engineering technology 9.38 Science workshop 10.10 You 5.30 The Body Show. The fifth and me 10.15 Maths: coordinates 10.38 Maths: statistics 11.00 Words and pictures 11.17 Preparing for a pantomime 11.39 How much

12.05 Lesson nine of an Ital onversation course. The fourth of five progra about self-help and mutual aid in Britain 12.55 For the moderately handicapped young adult (ends at 1.07) 1.20 panish conversation, Lesson four 1.38 Crossing water 2.18 The art of spotting the difference between fact from opinion in books, newspapers and magazines 2.40 Computers in society 3.00

truth is there in a biography?

Closedown. 5.35 News summary with subtitles 5.40 Kick Start. Heat two of the motorcycle trials competition for the Lombard Tricity

rophy. (r). 6.10 Cartoon Two. Charley, an

animated film by George Dunning. 6.15 Grange Hill. Part 12 of the

6.40 Film: By the Light of the Silvery Moon (1953) starring Doris Day and Gordon MacRae. The sequel to On Moonlight Bay, this time with Miss Day waiting for her boytriend to return from World War One only to find on his arrival that he has other things besides marriage on his mind. Directed by David Butler.

8.20 The 20th Century Remembered. The last of four films about the work of American photo-journalist Arthur Rothstein whose collection of photographs in the Library of Congress in Washington represents a comprehensive record of American life in the 1930s and

8.30 Nature, presented by Tony Soper, investigates whet new laws will make a difference to the plight of chimpanzees smuooled into Europe for zoos, research or as pets.

9.00 Entertainment USA, introduced by Jonathan Kin This week Mr King reaches Deriver where he talks to singer Kenny Rogers and There are also previews of the 9.30 Karen Kay. The singer's guest is veteran saxophonist and

10.00 Arena: Jazz Juke-Box II. A selection of films made for the visual juke-boxes of the 1940s, presented by George Melly and Silm Galillard (see Choice). 10.50 Newsnight. An investigation into the United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority constabulary - the Nuclear Police. Ends at 11,40.

CHOICE

a television actor. He plays Dr David Audley, a former Oxford don now working for the Defence Intelligence staff, in a new sk-part spy adventure CHESSGAME (TV 9.00pm), adepted by Murray Smith-and John Brason from three new measurn and it is doubtful that he really deserves to end the first episode ensconced for the night with the delicious Carmen du Sautoy in the priest's hole of his novels by Anthony Price. It is a

glossy piece of escapism with Stamp playing Audiey as a cross between a down-market Bond and an upper-class Cellan. Despite Stamp's initiatingly slow delivery the plot unfolds at a rapid pace with in this first entered. In tribute to the late John Le Mesurier the BBC is showing one of his best Dad's Army episodes. A WILSON (MANAGER)? (BBC 1 7.05pm) in which his promotion to manager of another bank is announced. 'Uncle' Arthur is even more designed when he discovers that his new branch is larger than the one run by Captain Malmwaring and that the position of Britain, Russia and Israel along with a nec-Nazi organisation and the skeleton of an RAF pilot still in the cockpit of a plane that crashed Mainwaring and that the position includes promotion to officer in the local Home Guard. His cut and

Radio 4

thrust with the bluster of the envious Mainwaring is a delight to behold and a fitting salute to the passing of the actor who will be forever remembered in his role as the ineffectual Wilson

Arena, building on the success of its earlier Jazz Juke-Box I, tonight presents a sequel, JAZZ JUKE-BOX II (BBC 2 10.00pm) introduced by jazz enthusiast George Melly with veteran jazzman, Slim Galilard. Tonight's selection of black and white films made mainly for the visual juke-boxes of the 1940s did not win Oscars for the acting but the Oscars for the acting but the music is of the highest class, in particular Duke Ellington's Black and Tan Fantasy featuring the haunting clarinet playing of the incomparable Barney Bigard

Wицал Сга2в. Craze.

10.45 Daily Service.

11.50 Naws: Travel: Baker's Dozen with Richerd Baker.

11.48 What's in a Name? (new series) in the first of six programmes. Denis Owen examines the strange origins of names. Why, for instance, is there a plant called Betty-go-to-bed-st-noon?

12.00 News: You and Yours.

12.27 A Story – With Pictures by Colin Shaw (6) 'Conting Home' (fast in series) 12.55 Weather; Programme News.

Programme News.
The World at One: News.
The Archers, 1.55 Shipping

Forecast
1.00 News; Woman's Hour. The
guest of the week is Penelope
Leach, the beby care expert and
cried psychologist. Also, the fifth
instalment of A Tiger for Maiguril
3.00 Afternoon Theatre: The
investigators. John Wainwright's
drama Endangered Species has
Peter Woodthorpe as the police
constable whose interrogation
by his superior officers always
has the same starring point:
race. With George A Cooper.)
3.47 Time for Verse, Johniny Morris
reads more from The Song of
Hiswaths. 2.00 News; Woman's Hour. The

Hiswatha. News; Just After Four. Journaying abroad in the 18th gnomes have emigrated to the 4.10 File on 4. Major issues from 4.40 File on 4. Major issues from home and abroad.
4.40 Story Time: "How Green Was My Valley" by Richard Llewellyn (8). Read by Gerald James.
5.00 Shipping Forecast 5.55 Weather; Programme News.
6.00 The Six O'clock News; Financial

Report.
6.30 Top of the Form, Round 2.
Selkirk High School versus
Durham School. 7.00 News. 7.05 The Archers.

BBC1 WALES, 12.57 p.s.-1.00 News of Wales headlines, 3.53-3.55 News of Wales headlines, 5.53 Wales today, 12.10 am News and weather, SCOTLAND, 12.55 prs-1.00 The Scottish News, 5.53 Scotland; Shrty Minutes, 7.10-7.35 Sowie: The CIS Insurance Scottish indoor Bowls Champlonship (highlights), 8.25-9.55 Richard Clayderman in Concert, 8.55-Hichard Clayderman in Concert, 8.55-11.05 Sportscens: European football; five-a-side lootball; boxing, 11.40-12.30 am 11.40-12.30 am christibus, 12.30 Nows and weather, NORTHEEN RELAND, 12.57 pm-1.00 Northern Ireland news, 2.53-3.55 Northern Ireland news, 5.53 Scene Around Six, 11.05-11.35 Handle with care, 11.35-11.55 Festival notehook; 11.55 News and

Festival notebook, 11.55 News and weather. ENGLAND, 5.53 pm Regiot news magazinas. 12.15 am Close.

SAC Starts: 2.00pm Decaryddeath.
2.20 Flalabalam. 2.35 Hyn O Fyd.
2.55 Years Ahead. 3.35 Dick Van Dyke
Show. 4.00 For What It's Worth. 4.30
Countdown. 4.55 Pictiwrs Bach. 5.00
Plas Y Dyn Plastig. 5.30 Munsters. 6.00
Brookside. 8.25 Chicago Taddy Baars.
8.55 Gair El Bryd. 7.00 Newyddion Saith.
7.30 Barddoniaeth A Chân. 8.05 Diar
Diar Doctor. 8.35 Y Byd Ar Bedwar. 8.05
Film: Kind of Loving (Alam Bates). 11.05
Twenty Twenty Vision. 11.30 People to
People. 12.00 Gair Yn El Bryd.
Closedown.

7.20 Checkpoint. A weekly investigation into listeners' problems.
7.45 The Reith Lectures 1983. Third of six talks by Sir Douglas Wass. G.C.B. Government and the Governed - 3: The Privileged Adviser. Sir Douglas, former Joint Head of the Home Civil Service, asics which Civil Service reforms would strengthen it, and which would weaken it. He says ministers and civil servants are inextricably mixed up with each 6.00 News Briefing. 8.10 Farming Today. 8.25 Shipping Forecast. Forecast.

8.30 Today, including 8.30, 7.30, 8.30
New Summary 8.45 Prayer for the Day 8.55, 7.55 Weather 7.00, 8.00 Today's News 7.25, 8.25
Sport 7.45 Thought for the Day 8.35 Yesterday in Partisment, 8.57 Weather, Travel.

9.00 News.

9.05 Michweelt Henry Kelly, With 1 libbu Purves and quests. inextricably mixed up with each other, and the partnership can work only if there is mutual trust. That trust, the says, is now in question. Repeated on Sunday on Radio 3 (the transcript structure of the transcript structure). 10.00 Nave; Gardeners' Questo.
10.00 Nave; Gardeners' Question
Time, Listeners' questions (r).
10.30 Moming Story: 'Herry' by
William Seroyan. Reed by Peter

on Radio 3 (the transcript appears in the current issue of The Listener).

8.15 In Business. With Peter Hobday.

8.45 A Very Private View. The life of Gwen John, one of the outstanding British artists of this cartury. The sister of Augustus John, she lived most of her sectuded life in France, surrounded by her cats, includes extracts from the correspondence with Rodin, the sculptor with whorn, at one time, she was in love. 9.30 Kaleidoscope, Tonicht's items

Kaleidoscope, Tonigiri's items include the new production of Penthesiles, starring Susannah York, at the Gate at the Latchmere, Battersea; and the

Lacrimare, Sattlerset; and the London Contemporary Dance Season at Sadler's Wells Theatre in London; 9.59 Weether 10.00 The World Tonight: News. 10.30 Lord Peter Winnery. "Busman's

70.30 Lord Peter Winney, Busman's Honeymoon' by Dorothy L. Seyers (ast of 5).
11.00 A Book at Bedime: 'Sour Sweet' by Timothy Mo (5). Read by David Suchet.
11.15 The Financial World Tonight.
11.30 Today in Parliament.
12.10 Naws.
12.19 Weather. 12.15 Shipping Forecast.

Shipping Forecast.
ENGLAMD VHF as above except 6.25-6.30em Westher: Travel. 10.45-12.00 For Schools: 10.45 Radio History. 11.05 Singing Together 9.11.25 Movement and Drama 2.11.45 Contact. 1.55pm Listering Corner. 2.00-3.00 For Schools: 2.00 The Music Box. 2.15 Introducing Geography. 2.35 Pictures in Your Mind (Poetry) 2.45 Nature. 5.50-5.55 PM (continued). 11.0-11.30 Study on 4.1 libiate cel Vivo (8), 12.30-1.10ara Schools Night-Time Broadcasting: Economises. Supply and Demand (5 & 6).

CHANNEL As London except: 1.20pm; 1.30 News. 5.15-5.45 Metal Mickey, 6.00 Channel Report, 6.30-7.00 Crossroeds, 6.58 Mystarious Tales, 12.20 Closedown.

TVS As London except: 1.20pm
News. 1.30 Afternoon Club. 1.3%
Home Rules. 2.10 Strange But Trus.
2.40 Whose Baby? 3.10 Newsbreak.
3.20 Sons and Daughters. 3.50 Blunt
Encouters. 5.15-5.45 Magic Micro
Mission. 5.00 Coast to Coast. 8.35-7.00
Crossroads. 12.20am Company,
Closedown.

GRAMPIAN As London except: 9.25cm First Thing 1.20pm-1.30 News. 3.30-4.00 Young Doctors. 5.15-5.45 Pabulous Furnies.

ULSTER As London except: 9.25am-9.30 Day Ahead. 1.20-1.30 Lunchtime. 3.30-4.00 Amazing News of Cinema. 5.15-6.45 Magic Micro Mission. 8.00 Good Eventra, Ulster. 8.25-8.36 Festival Spot. 12.20am News, closedows.

.00-6.35 North Tonight, 12.20

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Op 16,†
9.00 News.
9.05 This Week's Composer:
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flutes, strings and continuo.
Performers include Frans Veste
ext Tromp (flutes), and Performers include Frans Vester and Joest Tronp (futuse), and Mer Bylsma (cello), the English Songs: Recital by Brian Rayner Cook (bartions), with Roger Vignoles as his accompanist. The works are by Lestie Welters (most of them are first broadcasts) and John 10.00

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10.50 BBC Philharmonic Orchestra:
Holst's Oriental Suita: Beni Mora; Bantock's Heisena Variations and, after the interval reading at 11.30, Rutland Boughton's Symph No 3,†
12.15 Concert Hall; The Albany Brass Ensemble play works by Scarlatti (arr Paul Archibeld), Pioger Steptoe (Sonats No 3), Roger Steptoe (Sonata No 3) Sandor Balassa, and the Min

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1.80 News,
1.85 Jazz In Perspective: The final programme in the Stave Race series in which he has brought his own professional knowledg o the jazz world to bear on his choice of great recordings.†
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4.00 Choral Evensong from Lincton Cathedral, Organist and master of choristers, Dr Philip Marshall.†

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4.55 News.
5.00 Mainly for Pleasure: Another of Jeremy Siepmann's selections. 1
6.30 Szigeti and Petri: Egon Petri (pland) plays Liszt's La chassa (Paganini Studies) and Joseph Szigeti (violin) and Egon Petri play Brahms s Violin Sonsta No 3 in D minor, 1

7.00 Vienna Festival 1983: Tenor Pater Schreler, with Wolfgeng Sawallisch (plano) perform groupe of songa by Wolf, Prokofiev and Schumann, Part 7.40 Six Continents: Foreign radio broadcasts, monitored by the BBC, introduced by lan

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# Action on Divided by time, united by violence and grief divers trying to

stop pipe By Mark Rosselli

An injunction was granted yesterday against the Greenpeace conservation group, whose divers have been trying to block underseas discharge pipe exits from the nuclear processing plant at Sellafield, Cumbria, formerly Windscale.

But yesterday it appeared that the protesters might ignore the High Court injunction, and continue their efforts to stop radioactive waste from being pumped into the Irish Sea.

Grecupeace sent in 15 volum teers on the former trawler Cedarlea after a radioactive slick from the pipe drifted ashore and contaminated 200 yards of beach at the weekend.

Throughout yesterday, teams of divers searched for the two pipe exits that protrude from the sea bed 11/2 miles offshore. They were foiled by poor underwater visibility. As they dived, the Cedarlea was watched by the seascan, a vessel belonging to British Nuclear

British Nuclear Fuels reacted swiftly to the Greenpeace action. The pipe the protesters seek to block discharges millions of gallons of processed and cooling water each day as well as radioactive waste. Although there are sufficient onshore storage tanks to cope with the flow for a few days, a blockage would eventually force the plant

Mr Roy Pilling, director of operations at Sellafield, said vesterday that he could not allow the operation of the pipes to be interfered with.

He said: "It would create a hazard, and we would have to take remedial action. I am concerned at what is happening, because I thought Greenpeace were reasonable people who were merely taking samples near the pipelines.

An unrepentant Greenpeace spokesman said yesterday: "As far as we know, we have had no official information that an injunction has been served. We have not been contacted about it, so as far as we are concerned, it does not exist.

Mr Peter Wilkinson, a Greeneace director aboard the Cedarlea, spoke to The Times last night by ship to shore radio, and predicted that, if the organization's trustees decided

### Kennedys honour the memory

From Nicholas Ashford Washington

of JFK

In brilliant automn se members of the Kennedy family yesterday gathered in Washington and later at their home in Hyannis Port to honour the memory of President John Fitzgerald Kennedy on the twentieth anniversy o his assassination in Dallas.

At an early-morning private ceremony at Arlington cem etery, before the gates were opened to the public, Kennedy's brother, sisters, nephews and nieces, together with a few close friends, scattered yellow

Later, the family was joined by President Reagan, senior Congressional leaders and survivors of his "best and brightest" administration at a nationally-televised special mass at the Holy Trinity church in Georgetown, where Kennedy worshipped during his one thousand days in the White

A moving eulogy was given by Senator Edward Kennedy, the former President's younger brother and now head of the Kennedy "clan".

Senator Kennedy, the only survivor of four brothers, said the late President had "every gift but the length of years. What he did and believed in will endure and inevitably it will prevail. He made America young again and the world seemed new again."

Musical accompaniment was by Grace Bumbry, of the Metropolitan Opera and the Caroline Kennedy was the

only member of the late President's own family present Jacqueline, was with his mother, Rose, aged 93, at Hyangis Port, Massachusetts and his son John was in India,

In a statement Mr Reagat described Kennedy;s assassination as "one of the most tragic episodes in our nation's his-tory". Kennedy was dedicated to a strong America and the pursuit of the best for all its

After the service, family members attended a memorial to defy the High Court injunc-tion, the ship's four divers would locate the two pipelines River, before flying to Hyannis





apart, paying tribute to their lost loved ones: two men who died by the gun.

Twenty years ago, President John Fitzgerald Kennedy was shot dead as he drove through Dallas.

Two days ago, Mr Victor Cunningham was murdered as he worshipped in a Pentecostal hall in co Armagh. Two others died with him. Yesterday prayers were of-

fered for both men. In Arlington, Virginia, the President's only surviving brother Edward (top. centre) spoke the erlogy at a memorial service to mark the anniversary of the assassination.

Other members of the family present included the President's daughter, Caro-line (kneeling, third from

In Armagh, Mrs Edna Cunningham (left) said her last farewell to her husband.

Frank Johnson in the Commons

### Lamont quangoes to Left and Right

Mr Norman Lamont, of the Department of Industry, yes-terday made a statement to the House about government tourism policy.

One's suspicions were immediately aroused. Why does tourism need a government policy? One could understand why a hotel, a museum, or a guest house, needed a tourist policy. But what does tourism require of government - other than that government helps bring about that general prosperity in which all enterprise, including tourism, might flourish?

As Mr Lamont rose yesterday, it seemed likely that we were about to hear what tourists to these islands soon learn is the authentic folk instrument of our nation: the gentle, but steady, playing of the quango. So it proved.
"The Government's main

tourism is the statutory tourist

boards," said Mr Lamont.
Initially the quango accompanies a singer called a "minister". Later, a "chairman" and "board members" join in the merry-making, the whole entertainment sometimes coming to a climax with one of several variations which include the "supplementary estimate" or alternatively the "further claim on the Public Sector Borrowing Requirement".

Mr Lamont began the fun yesterday by standing at the despatch and singing: "The Government's main instrument for encouraging tourism is the statutory tourist boards." He cut a picturesque figure in the minister's tra-ditional costume of dark blue suit, black shoes, and nonde-

izational arrangements are

performances to an exciting climax with: "I am therefore asking the British Tourist Authority to transfer its remaining UK activities to the national boards, so that it may concentrate on its prime responsibility: to promote Britain overseas. I am asking the British Tourist Authority and the English Tourist Board to seek shared accommodation, to merge certain commmon services, and in consultation with the Scottish Tourist Board and the Wales Tourist Board, to eliminate duplication in their publi-

cation programmes." This climax contained an interesting variant from tra-dition. When a minister starts a quango, it normally results in more duplication - not less. Mr Lamount appeared to be attempting nothing less than a quango which saved money. Thus he seems to be one of those colossal historical figures who takes a folk art and forces it into a new form: in this case the non-duplicating quango. Only history can tell if he actually succeeds.

Some anthropologists were sceptical yesterday. One of them, Mr Dennis Skinner, the Labour member for Bolsover, demanded: "When these quanges have been placed into the jigsaw, is it going to increase or decrease public expenditure?"

Mr Lamont made the huge claim that he did not expect the policy would result in an increase in public spending.

Mr Skinner apart, Mr Lamont was questioned by a

procession of backbenchers on both sides pressing the claims of their constituencies as tourist attractions worthy of government support. These were not script white shirt.

On the whole, members for such on the videly accepted view that the Oxford and Edinburgh, but boards need to improve their such figures as Mr Andrew own coordination," he Faulds, or Warley East, who continued. The Government emphasized the attractions of have decided that new organthe industrial archeology of the West Midlands". Members from Manchester

required."
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### THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

### Today's events

Royal engagements

Royal engagements
Queen Elizabeth the Queen
Mother attends a reception by the
Research Trust at New Zealand House, 6.45

The Prince of Wales visits the BM factory at Greenock, Renfrew-shire, 10.15; and as President of the Council for National Academic Awards, attends an awards cer-emony in McEwan Hall, Edinburgh,

Royal Signals Institution Annual London Lecture at the Royal Commonwealth Society, London,

ton Exhibition Centre in connex ion with the International Congress of

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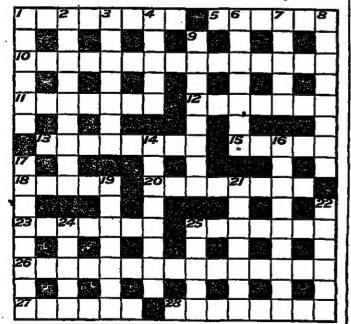
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The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16,294



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- 5 Frustrate national spirit (6).
  16 Divulge what 19 may do (4,3,4,4).
  11 One of Sheridan's characters
- heard making his appearance 16 Such vital activity could be rough in ancient Greece (9). 17 Virtue motivates such nice Island produces scholar in oriental literature (7).
- 13 Oils a man used originally for portrait (4,4). 15 Gold coin auditors might
- confuse with an obol (5). 18 One captures only half of street in attack (5). Succeed, as p completed (4,4).
- 24 Paddle-boat proper conduct (7). 25 Leading man leaves city, in scene of old play (7).
  26 Left in company of some
- musicians to make film (4,4,3,4). 27 Small island in southern county
- (6). 28 With which, you see, agreement's achieved among 6 (8).

- 1 Two sorts of trap for gatherer of
- Uncovers a novel description of Clementine's home (9).
- 3 She might have vacation cut short (7).
- **CONCISE CROSSWORD PAGE 8**

# Princess Margaret, as Patron of the Royal College of Nursing, attends a reception at the Kensing-

Primary Health Care, 6.
Princess Alice Duchess of Gloscester, Patron of the Girls of the Realm Guild, visits Leighton

House, W14, 7.
The Duke of Gloucester present Princess Anne, Colonel-in-Chief the Brick Development Associon the Royal Signals, attends the ation's Biennial Awards at the

# Berkeley Hotel, London, 12,15; and later, accompanied by the Duchess of Gloucester, he opens "The Genius of Venice, 1500-1600"

11.30; and as Vice-Chairman of the British Overseas Trade Board, visits Electrolux/Flymo Ltd, Newton Aycliffe, 2.10. The Duchess of Kent, as Patror of the Arthritis and Rheumatism

Council, attends a Gala Evening at the Lakeside Country Club, 8,15. Princess Alexandra attends the 156th Festival Banquet of the Printers' Charitable Corporation Grosvenor House, London, 6.45.

New exhibitions Byker: photographs of New-castle's East End by Sirkka-Lissa Konttinen, Side Galery, 9 Side, Newcastle upon Tyne, Tues to Fri 11 to 6, Sat and Sun 11 to 5 (until len 2)

Jan 8).
A Collection for Christman A Collection for Christmas: original and rare work by English artists and craftsmen, including special toys; Falcon House Gallery, Swan Street, Boxford, Suffolk; Tues to Sat 10.30 to 6, Sun 2 to 6 (until

Jan 29). The Light and the Dark, by Allan Bruce and John Mitchinson, Value Gallery, Lindum Road, Lincoln, Mon to Sat 10 to 5.30, Sun 2.30 to 5 (until Dec 18). Talks, lectures

Contemporary knitwear manufacture, by Sally Fuller, Laing Art Gallery, Higham Place, Newcastle spon Tyne, IZ.30.

Harps, lutes and fiddles, by J. Calder, Royal Scottish Museum Chambers Street, Edinburgh, 2. English drinks and drinking glasses, by Jeremy Pearson, Roya Albert Memorial Museum, Queen Street, Exeter, 1.10. Antique furniture and its resto

ration, by Eric Ravill, Museum and Art Gallery, Chequer Road, Don-caster, 1.45. George MacBeth and Lisa St Aubin de Feran read from and talk about their work, Pizza Margharita Moor Lane, Lancaster, S.

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Recital by Hilliard Ensemble,
New Hall, Department of Music,
University College, Cardiff, 7.30.
Concert by USSR State Symphony Orchestra, Colston Hall,
Colston Street, Bristol, 7.30.
Recital by Ewald Wiedner
(clarinet) and Elzbieta Wiedner
(piano), Leeds Institute Gallery,
Civic Theatre, Cookridge Street,
7.30.

Sale of Georgian, Victorian and other furniture, and works of art, Rainbow, Ephemera Society Book and Ephemera Fair, Prestbury Suite, Cheltenham Racecourse, 10 to 4.30.

Parliament today

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Genius of Venice, 1500-1600" exhibition, Royal Academy of Arts, Piccadilly, 6.45.

The Library Editor's selection of interesting books published this week:
Albert, Prince Consort, by Robert Fihodes James (Hamish Hemiton, £12.50).
Danebusy, Anatomy of an iron Age Hill Fort, by Barry Curtiffe (Batsford, £14.95).
F. E. Smith, First Earl of Birkenheed, by John Campbell (Cape, £30).
Frogother Children, parent-child relations from 1500 to 1900. by Linda A Batter (Cambridge, £3.50).

Forgotten Children, parent-child relations from 1500 to 1900, by Linda A. Poliock (Cambridge, 29.50).

Naneteen Eighty-Four and After, Changing images of the Future, by Nigel Calder (Century, 29.55).

One Brief Shiring Monsent, Remembering Kennedy, by William Manchester (Michael Joseph, 214.95).

Oxford Readings in Greek Tragedy, edited by Erich Segal (Oxford, £16.50).

The Archeeology of Beekseping, by Eva Crane (Duckworth, £25).

The Defeat of the Spanish Armada, by Garrett Mattingty (Cape, £12.50).

Whitaker's Almaneck 1984 (Whitaker, £11).

London and the South-East: Roadworks on the Alexandra Park approach road affecting Muswell Hill area. Roadworks at Bishopsgate In a blind tasting of 35 wines of Moulin-4-Vent beaujoleis, Louis Jadot 1981. £5.75 from Victoria Wine was found outstanding. Next best were: Domaine de Moulin-4-Vent Control (1981) £5. at junction with Threadneedle Street. A131: Temporary lights on Chelmsford Road, south of Brain-tree, near Cemetery Hill. Midlands: M6: One carriageway shared between junctions 10 (Walsall) and 11 (Cannock). A5: Delays at Weston under Lizard, Staffordshire. A446: Roadworks at unction with A4091 at Moxhill (sland, near Meriden. Island, near Meriden.

North: A66: Temporary lights, one lane at bridge at Eden Lodge, Kirkby Thore, near Appleby. A523: Diversion N of Macclesfield, Cheshire. A1: One carriageway shared between Fairburn and Micklefield, W Yorkshire.

Wales and West: A40: Lanes closed northbound Raglan to Moumouth. A55: Temporary roundabout at Colwyn Bay, junction with A546. A39: One lane.

French ports might be affected today by a 24-hour dispute, the RAC said fast night and advised travellers to check the situation

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### Ports dispute

### Anniversaries

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### The papers

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The Sun says that when a mistake occurs "in the confusion and stress of battle... the families of the casoalties and the whole public must be told... because they are entitled to know the truth". Private David Paris, present the David Parr's parents, the newpaper says "must now go through a further ordeal. Having come to terms with one story of his death they are now asked to accept a different version. And yet, even today, the Defence Ministry is unrepentent."

### War poetry

After assembling more than 2,500 poetry manuscripts covering the Middle East and Italian campaigns in the Second World War, the Salamander Oasis Trust is now preparing a third volume of war poems, it invites Times readers to look out any such material, with brief information giving details of service and where poems were written, and send it to: Book Three, Salamander Oasis Trust, 84 Temple Chambers, London EC4Y OFIP. With the assent of the senders, all manuscripts, whether used or not, will be banded over afterwards to

### Weather forecast

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(41F).

Moray Firth, NE, NW Scotland: Surny intervals, isolated showers; wind SW light; max 7C (45F).

Orlaney, Shetland: Cloudy, rain or drizzle, becoming brighter, isolated showers; wind SW, moderate or treet; max 7C (45F).

Outlook for tomorrow and Fridey: Becoming cloudy and much milder with rain or drizzle in places. SEA PASSAGES: S North See, Strait of

Dover: Wind S or SW, light; see smooth. English Charmel (E), St George's Channel, Irlsh Sea: Wind SE, light or moderate, becoming locally trest; see roundatout at Corwyn Bay, Junc-tion with A546. A39: One lane, temporary lights on Truro relief road at Wadebridge. Scotland: A92: Southbound carriageway shared one mile N of Glearothes. A92: Single lane at Aberdour, Fife and Central Espla-

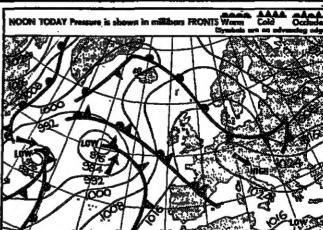
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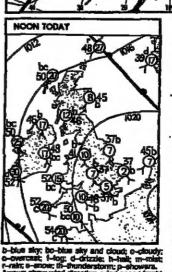
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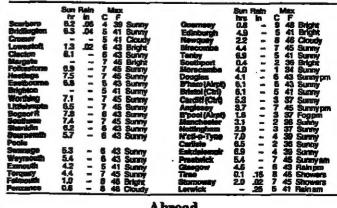
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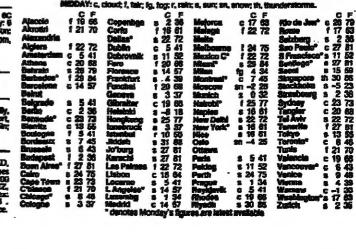


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